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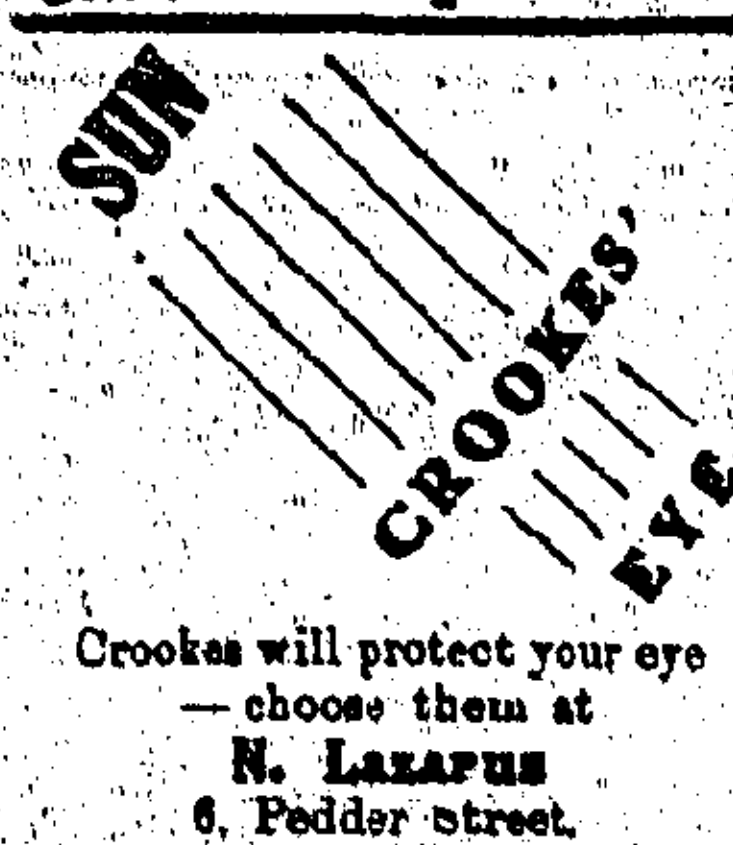
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BACK TO THE CONTROL SCHEME AGAIN

Germany And Italy Resume Non-Intervention Work

(SPECIAL TO "THE DAILY PRESS")

Berlin, June 16.

It is authoritatively stated here that the German Ambassador in London has informed the chairman of the Non-Intervention Committee that the German Government, conformably with the agreement of June 12, will resume co-operation with the Committee and also in the task of international control of the Spanish coasts.

It is likewise stated that a similar announcement has been made by the Italian Ambassador in London. Political circles here stress that the conditions made by Germany for her re-entry into the Non-Intervention Committee have been met but the date on which she will resume active participation has not yet been decided upon.

JOINT COMMUNIQUE

London: A joint communique announcing the return of Germany and Italy to the Non-Intervention Committee was issued here and says that the German and Italian Ambassadors informed the Chairman of the Non-Intervention Committee that as the result of the agreement reached by the four naval powers on June 12, for the

naval control observation scheme, the German and Italian governments have decided to resume co-operation with the Committee and an active part in the patrol duties in Spanish waters.—*Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

AIR MAIL DUE TO-DAY

It was ascertained yesterday that the R.M.A. Delphinus is due to arrive at Kai Tak about 12.30 p.m. to-day. The plane left Penang at 12.30 p.m. yesterday and arrived at Saigon at 4.30 p.m.

STOP PRESS

Simla, June 16.

The Viceroy is shortly issuing a message to India on the Constitutional crisis, which is unofficially believed to be of a conciliatory nature. It is not expected that the Congress Working Committee will meet until Tuesday when the message is expected to be published.

Moscow, June 16.

M. Krutloff, President of the Far Eastern Executive Committee, and M. Larin, President of the Rostoff Executive Committee were removed from office for "inefficiency and lack of Bolshevik vigilance," resulting in the wrecking of Soviet Industries.—*Reuter.*



Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, who is at present holidaying at Kuling, will hold a conference in the famous summer resort with President Lin Sen and Dr. Wang Ching-wei.

NO BRITONS MURDERED IN CHINA

DURING PAST YEAR STATES MR. EDEN

London, June 16.

The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, announced amid cheers in the House of Commons that no British subjects had been kidnapped or murdered in China during the last twelve months in reply to Mr. Day. He said that beyond that it was not possible to give an answer to any question seeking full details regarding the extent that lives and property of Britons had been adversely affected in the course of the year but all possible efforts had been made to safeguard them.

"I may, however, mention that British subjects in Sian were evacuated successfully in January when that town was threatened by civil war."—*Reuter.*

Seeded Players At Wimbledon

London, June 16.

The seeded players in the draw for the All-England Lawn Tennis Championships, which begin on Monday at Wimbledon, are announced.

In the men's singles in order as they appear in draw they are:—Von Cramm (Germany), R. Menzel (Czechoslovakia), H. W. Austin (Britain), Grant (United States), Frankie Parker (United States), Henke (Germany), V. McGrath (Australia), Donald Budge (United States).

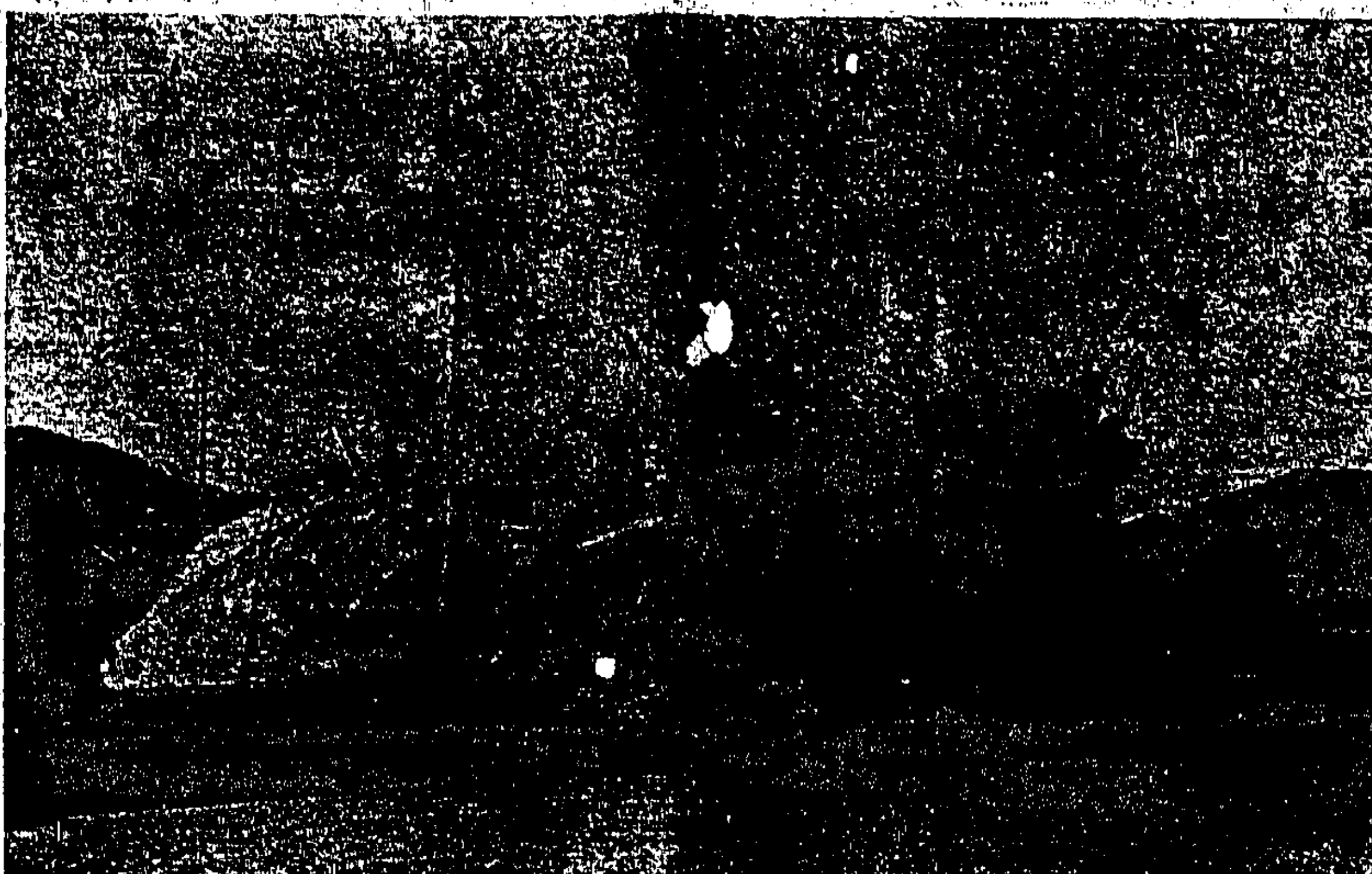
Seeded players in the women's singles are:—Miss Helen Jacobs (United States) (holder), Mrs. Sperling (Denmark), Senorita Lizana (Chile), Miss Fedrejowky (Poland), Miss Alice Marble (United States), Madame Mathieu (France), Miss Dorothy Round (Britain), Miss Kathleen Stanmer (Britain).—*British Wireless.*

KHO SIN KIE TO PLAY MULLEN

London, June 16.

Yamagishi (Japan), meets the winner of the qualifying tournament in the top section of the draw in which Von Cramm is seeded. Nakano (Japan) meets Harris (United States) in seventh section in which McGrath (Australia) is seeded. Kho Sin Kie meets Mullen (Great Britain) in the top section while Ho meets Frankie Parker, a seeded player in the fifth section.—*Reuter.*

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An excellent picture of the Dojima Maru taken after the boiler explosion.

BOILER IN SERVICEABLE CONDITION

EXPERT EVIDENCE AT DOJIMA MARU EXPLOSION ENQUIRY

BOILER TUBES DESCRIBED AS EXCELLENT

"There was no indication, by inspection of the broken parts, that the safety valve had been tampered with and as far as could be seen the valve was in good condition," said Mr. W. A. Butterfield, engineer, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, when he gave evidence yesterday at the enquiry into the circumstances surrounding the death of a Chinese seaman, one of the many victims who lost their lives as a result of the explosion on the O.S.K. launch, Dojima Maru, at Queen's Statue Pier, on the night of May 17, last.

The hearing will be continued to-morrow afternoon at the Central Magistracy before Mr. W. Schofield, sitting as Coroner, and a special jury comprising Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy (Foreman), Mr. W. T. Stanton and Mr. M. H. Lo. Yesterday the jury sat with the Coroner.

Mr. J. T. Prior, of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, holds a watching brief on behalf of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, while Mr. O. E. C. Marton, of Messrs. Deacons, represents the Hong Kong and Whampoa Dock Company, Limited.

Acting Inspector A. L. Hopkins and Det.-Sergt. F. Estall are present on behalf of the police.

At yesterday's continued hearing, formal evidence was given by Tang Foo, an engineer on a motor boat which was moored near the Pier at the time of the explosion, Sum Kuen-hoi, attendant on a motor ambulance, and Indian Constable Bachan Singh.

PORT CAPTAIN'S STORY

Port Captain Nakashima, Marine Superintendent of the O.S.K., then went into the witness box and said that the Dojima Maru formerly belonged to the T.K.K. and in 1929 was bought by the O.S.K. Records of the launch were kept at the head offices of the Company but he (witness) never knew of any defects in the boiler. The launch was inspected twice a year by the Government Marine Surveyor and on those occasions he also inspected the vessel.

The last time the launch was inspected was in January this year. Witness was present on this occasion and the boiler was taken out of the ship, the inspection being carried out at a Chinese dockyard at Shaukiwan. The boiler, engine and manhole

were taken out and the pressure test was applied. Some of the boiler tubes were changed but the safety valve was found to be in good condition.

MR. W. A. BUTTERFIELD

Mr. W. A. Butterfield, who it will be recalled gave expert evidence at the West Point Gasometer Explosion Inquest, said that he examined the boiler of the Dojima Maru on May 19. The whole area of the furnace, of plain tube form, was in very good order. The furnace was free of scale and there was no indication of deformation. The tubes were, generally, clean and in good order excluding four which were badly bent, probably during salvage operations. There was no rust on the tubes which were in excellent condition.

EIGHT STAVES TORN OFF

So far as the combustion chamber was concerned, witness said it was in very good condition. At the time of the explosion, there is an indication that eight of the staves were torn off from one side and six from the other.

The boiler in its entirety, said witness, was well constructed and in accordance with common practice. The general condition of the boiler indicated that at the time of the explosion it was in a fair, serviceable condition. The safety valve, however, was missing and part of this was found on the Pier. Witness said he examined it at the Central Police Station when it was found that the spring, spindle, compression ring, and cutter were in place.

LOWER CHAMBER MISSING

The lower chamber in which the safety valve seats are fitted was missing so that it was not possible to form any opinion whether these were in position. It was unlikely that the seats would have lifted out of place thereby closing out the steam but there is a very remote possibility that such may have occurred.

After witness said that the usual form of easing gear was fitted and the part which had been salvaged found to be in good order, the enquiry was adjourned until 2.30 p.m. to-morrow.

SUN-RAY TREATMENT FOR MINERS

German "Labour Front" To Sponsor Movement

(SPECIAL TO "THE DAILY PRESS.")

Berlin, June 16.

Artificial Alpine sun-ray treatment for miners will shortly be introduced in German mines on the initiative of the German "Labour Front" authorities who consider that no efforts must be spared to keep the workers, exposed to the heavy strains of underground work, healthy and fit for their arduous duties.

ONIONS FOR A BRIDGE!

Cairo, June 16.

The Egyptian Government intend, it is learned, to pay for a bridge over the Nile ordered by Krupp in Essen, which costs \$115,572 not in cash, but up to the sum of \$35,000 in onions. A similar deal was made with the Reich in 1935, when Egypt purchased an Embassy building in Berlin, and paid for it with onions.—*Transocean News Service.*

The ray treatment will be administered in long passages through which the miners will pass on their way from the shower baths to the dressing rooms.

The first experimental artificial Alpine sun-ray treatment plant will shortly be installed in the Ruhr and upper Silesian coal-basins, one in each region during the experimental period.—*Transocean News Service.*



Baron von Neurath, German Foreign Minister, who is shortly to visit London. (See cables Page 9).

CHINESE MARITIME CUSTOMS

Marine Department Report 1936

In its 500-odd pages, the 1936 report of the Marine Department of the Chinese Maritime Customs presents a full and exhaustive review of "conditions prevailing at all the leading China coast and river ports, complete with maps, diagrams and sketches, states the "North China Daily News."

Under the heading of "Shanghai District" appear concise reports of waterways, railways, highways, posts, telegraph and telephone services in Hangchow, with details of wharves, berthing facilities, etc. in Hangchow harbour itself. (Continued on page 7).

NURSES BOARD EXAMINATION

Successful Candidates

The following results of the Nurses Board Examination held in May, 1937, under Section 4 of the Nurses Registration Ordinance, Ordinance No. 1 of 1931, are published for general information. They will be included in the next issue of the "Government Gazette."

PRELIMINARY

GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS

*Miss Gladys Sato, *Miss Lucy Yip, *Miss Josephine Kung, *Mr. Wong Yam Sang, *Mr. Lee Tack Hing, *Mr. Lee Chung Wen, Mr. Li Luen Huen, Mr. Yeung Kam Hung. (Continued on Page 7)

THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2-11/16d.
T.T. ON NEW YORK: 30-1/4.

London Silver Market

(From Our Own Correspondent) London, June 16.
London silver prices to-day were down 1/16 for "Spot" and 1/8 for "Forward" as follows:—
June 16 June 16
Spot 19-7/8 19-13/16
Forward 19-15/16 19-13/16
India sold. China bought. Business small. London Gold: 140/53.
Bombay silver: 51-05, 51-05, 51-08. Off-take 50 market quiet.

WOMEN POLICE FOR CANTON

Canton, June 16.

With a view to the effective policing of the City, Mr. Li Kit-chi, Superintendent of the Kwangtung Police Department has decided to raise and train a body of police-women.

As soon as the necessary investigations have been completed in connection with the organizing of this new police force, an examination of candidates will be held.

It is expected that the police-women will be trained and be ready

KAWAGOE GOING TO NANKING

Tokyo, June 16.

It is learned that Mr. Kawagoe, Japanese Ambassador to China, is leaving for Nanking next week with instructions to be formulated at a meeting sometime this week between Hirota, Japanese Foreign Minister, General Sugiyama, and Admiral Yonai.

He will be accompanied by Mr. Kato, Japanese Consul-General in Nanking, and Mr. Kato, Japanese Consul-General in Shanghai.

for police duty in August or September next.—*Chinese Evening Press.*

HEALTH RETURNS

Three cases of dysentery, two of cerebro-spinal fever and one of enteric fever were notified to the local Health Authorities on Tuesday.

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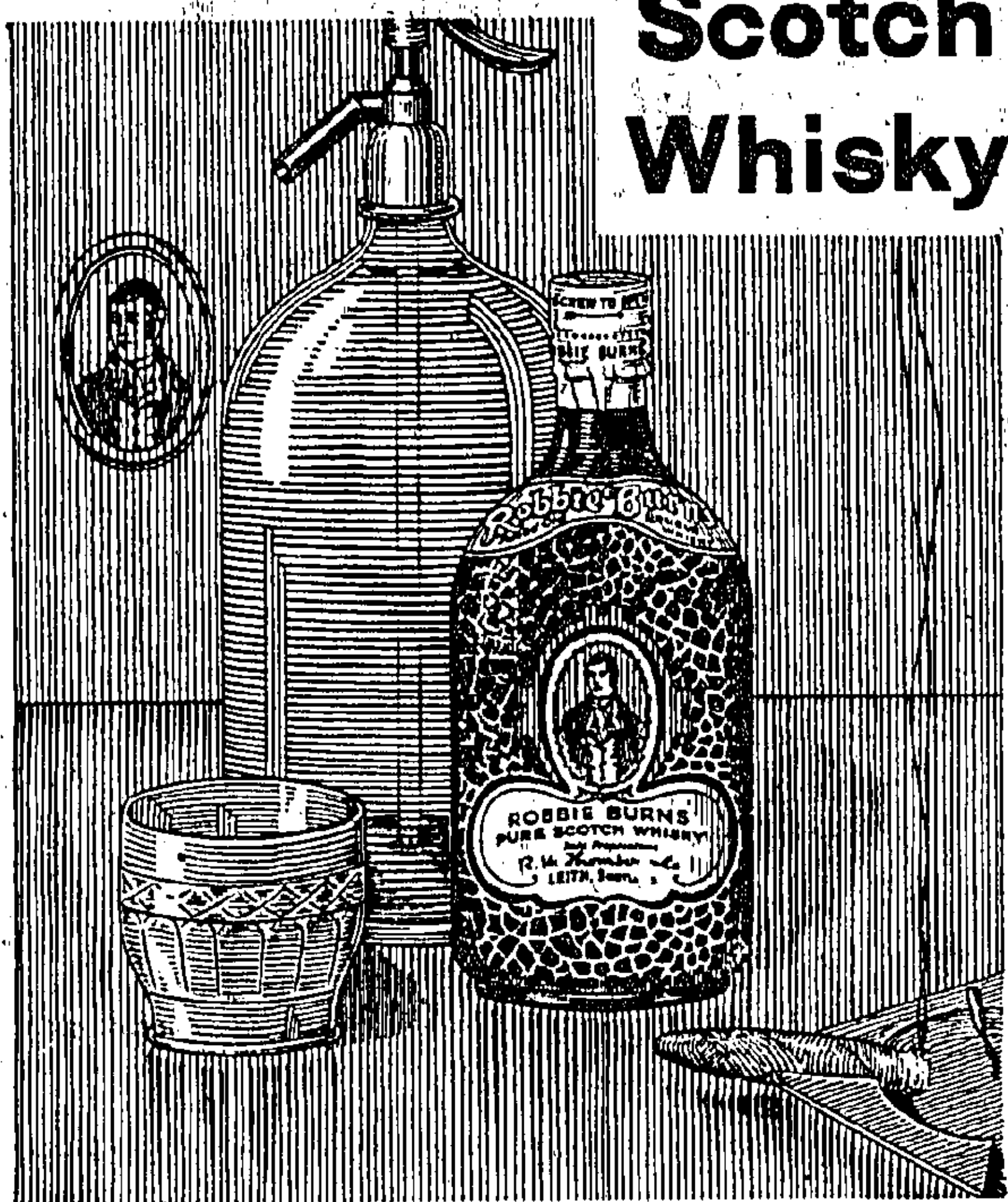
Important Talks At Kuling Resort

Nanking, June 16.
Owing to the depressing summer heat President Lin Sen, at 10, Dr. Wang Ching-wei, Chairman of the Central Political Committee, are proceeding to Kuling, the health resort where they will stay with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the National Government, and Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission for the purpose of discussing Government affairs.

Their departure for Kuling will take place early next month. Marshal Feng Yu-hsiang, Vice Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, is also proceeding to Kuling to confer with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.—*Chinese Evening Press.*

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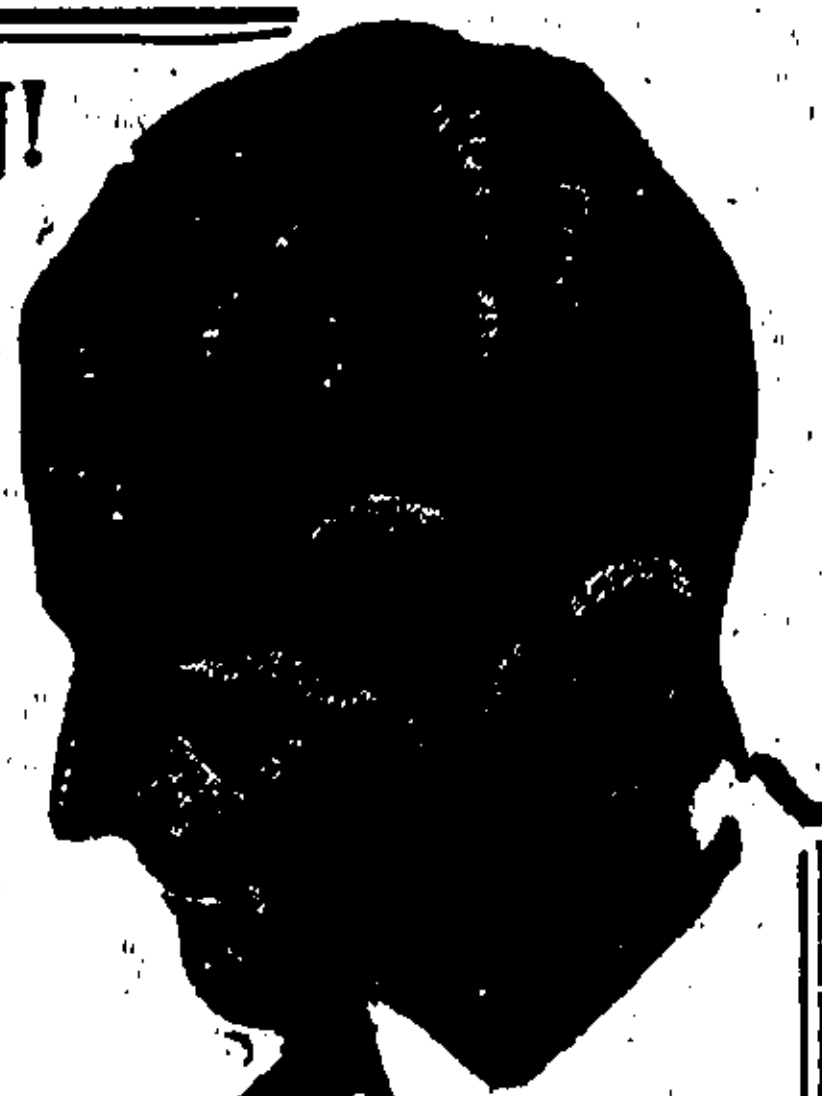
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ROBBERY ON A JUNK

Fisherman Found Guilty

At the Criminal Sessions, before the Police Judge, Mr. Justice R.E. Lindsell, yesterday morning, Chan Leung-hing, fisherman, pleaded not guilty to a charge of robbery by two or more on board a fishing junk 28HC at Cheung Chow Harbour on April 27.

The jury empanelled for the case were Messrs. W. Egge, (foreman), Tam Shing-foon, H. Lueer, G. Souza, H. E. B. Nocht, W. J. Priest and Young Tsun-shin.

Opening the case for the Crown, Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor said it was alleged that on the evening of April 27, Lo Kau, a fisherman, who had been dismissed from the junk on which the robbery occurred, visited the junk at Cheung Chow Harbour on the pretext of looking for a singlet. He spoke to Cheung Lam, wife of the master of the junk, who disclosed that other occupants of the junk were ashore. Lo Kau departed but shortly afterwards Cheung Lam was surprised to find a man had boarded the junk, carrying a revolver and a torch. She raised an alarm and was chased over the junk, eventually seeking refuge on the foremast from where she continued to shout for help.

Another man came from a deck below and the two went off in a small boat. The police were informed and a box was found to have been ransacked, money, jewels and clothes having been stolen.

FIVE MEN CHARGED
Prisoner's hut was searched on information received and a piece of cloth was found there which was identified by the concubine of the master of the junk as belonging to her.

Continuing Mr. Abbott said that five men had been charged at the Police Court. Accused had made a statement to the Police to the effect that he and others earned 30 cents each by rowing Ah Kau to the junk. Later, however, he denied that statement and said that violence had been used on him by the Police to force an admission from him.

Corroborative evidence was given by Cheung Lam who, replying to His Lordship, said the robbers came on board unexpectedly.

Cheung Yuen-ngan, the concubine, testified that she left the junk about 7 p.m. on the night in question and did not return until 2 a.m. when she found her cabin was in disorder. She identified the piece of cloth produced in Court as her property.

PREVIOUS CONVICTION
In summing up His Lordship said that if the jury thought accused was waiting in his boat to take off the robbers, then prisoner would be guilty. Accused stated that he rowed some men out to a junk but made no mention of his having any knowledge that there was to be a robbery.

After retiring for a short while, the jury returned a verdict of guilty.

It was stated that prisoner had previously been convicted of theft and breach of a Deportation Order. Accused was sentenced to three years' hard labour dating from the expiration of his Deportation conviction.

MOONLIGHT PICNIC

The Australian and New Zealand Association have arranged a moonlight launch picnic on Thursday, June 24, leaving Kowloon Police Pier at 9 p.m. sharp. The annual meeting of the Association will be held towards the end of July and members are requested to send in their nominations for the new committee.

TAKING LAW INTO OWN HANDS

Before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, at the Criminal Sessions yesterday morning, Cheung Yuk-ming pleaded guilty to a charge of robbing with violence, a woman named Chau Chi-hing, of a gold finger ring, a jade bangle and pair of jade ear-rings on May 7 at Cheung Chau Island, and he was sentenced to two years' hard labour.

Before he was sentenced, prisoner said the woman had swindled him by promising to go with him to Canton to start some business there.

Mr. E.H. Williams, Assistant Attorney-General, who prosecuted, said accused had been in Cheung

COURT NEWS IN BRIEF

Leung Fook-ho, unemployed, appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday charged with being in possession of two gallons of Chinese wine which was concealed in a tin, and hidden in a rattan basket. Insp. W. Mair stated that the defendant was arrested in Des Voeux Road near Centre Street. His Worship imposed a fine of \$40 or one month's hard labour.

OWNER SOUGHT

Ho Chui, unemployed, appeared before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy yesterday charged with the theft of a motor car radiator cap, and was remanded for 48 hours in order for the Police to locate the owner of the stolen article. Detective Sergeant D. Davies stated that the defendant was seen with the radiator cap in his possession. A message was circulated in order to trace the owner. His Worship granted the remand.

RUSSIAN FINED

V. Schultz, a Russian unemployed, was brought before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of entering the Colony from Canton without a valid passport. The defendant stated that he came here in order to make a few dollars so as to be able to pay his passage back to Shanghai. The prosecuting officer stated that a number of Russians had been coming into the Colony and wanted to go back to Shanghai, and asked His Worship to take a serious view of the case and impose a small sentence. His Worship imposed a fine of \$10 or 15 days, and made an expulsion order against the defendant, who is to be sent back to Canton.

SERIOUS CHARGE

A fine of \$100 or two months' imprisonment each was imposed on Li Kit-fong, aged 39, married woman, and Lui Na-ku, aged 25, female, when they appeared before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, charged with having procured a girl named Na So, aged 18, to have carnal knowledge with another person, alleged to be a European, on June 4.

Inspector E. J. Ellis, of the S.C.A., prosecuted.

SHIPPING COY. FINED

Mr. H. D. White appeared on behalf of the Manager of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday, on a summons for failing to report to the Police the correct number of passengers who arrived in the Colony from Canton on board the s.s. Fatshan on May 31. Sub-Inspector J. H. E. Edwards stated that two Japanese females were omitted from the passenger list which was sent to the Police. The two Japanese women reported to the police that they arrived in the Colony on May 31 from Canton by the s.s. Fatshan, and were staying at the Metropole Hotel, from where a similar report was made. A fine of \$20 was imposed by His Worship.

TRAFFIC SUMMONS

Mrs. Spradbury, residing at No. 53, Tai Po Road, licensee of a lorry was summoned before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for failing to equip the vehicle with efficient brakes, and was fined \$20. The driver of the lorry, Li Ling, was fined \$5.

Traffic Sergeant Scrim said that he tested the vehicle and found that at a speed of 20 miles per hour, the lorry stopped in 54 feet when the foot brake was applied and 59 feet when the hand brake was used.

ALLEGED TAMPERING

K. C. Mark of No. 109, Sai Yeung Choi Street, was summoned before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for altering the water service without the consent of the Waterworks authorities. Mr. F. H. Loseby appeared for the defence.

It was alleged that an official of the Waterworks Department visited the house in question on May 29 and found the pipe connected with the water meter had been tampered with.

The case was adjourned till June 29 at 12 noon for hearing.

Chau Island for a number of years and was the owner of a passenger boat which plied between that port and Macao.

In passing sentence, His Lordship said, "I have got to teach you people that you cannot take the law into your own hands."

BRICKS THROWN AT DRIVER

Four Fokis Brought Before Court

Leung Yau aged 22, and three others, appeared before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday charged with disorderly conduct by throwing missiles at a car driver, while he was driving a lorry and damaging Government property.

It was alleged that on Tuesday afternoon while complainant, Tse Chuen, driver of a Sanitary Department refuse van was stopping at Bedford Road to collect refuse, eight foks from a battery factory came out into the street and threw bricks at him. The side screen of the lorry was broken and complainant received a cut on his hand as a result of the attack.

Serjt. Headridge said that it was fortunate that complainant at the time kept a clear head, otherwise a serious accident might have occurred.

It was believed that trouble started a few days previous to the incident when complainant, who saw that his van was full, stopped the foks from dumping any more refuse and drove away.

Leung Yau pleaded guilty of having thrown stones, but denied that he hit the driver. He was bound over in a sum of \$20 for one year, and was ordered to pay \$2 compensation to complainant and \$1 for damage done to the lorry.

The other three defendants said that they did not leave the factory on the day in question. They were discharged.

CAPTOWN FLIGHT

Aerial Trip
From Passenger's Point Of View

An appreciative review of his recent flight from Croydon to Capetown by Imperial Airways was given by Sir Allan Mossop in the course of an address which he gave members of the Royal Air Force Association of Shanghai at the weekly luncheon in "The Dome."

Sir Allan said he was particularly impressed by the amazing degree of efficiency shown by Imperial Airways throughout the flight. The fare for each passenger was £130, inclusive of all charges, and it was important to note that passenger and baggage together should not exceed 221 pounds in weight.

He confessed to feeling dismayed at this news, but was pleased to find that the amount of baggage finally allotted him was quite sufficient for his needs. Coupons for various extras on the trip could be purchased for £2. 10. 0d., at 5 shillings a ticket, and unused coupons were redeemable at par.

LONG HOPS

Lady Mossop and he left Croydon at 11.45 a.m. in the "Hercules," carrying 28 passengers, and arrived in Paris after a 24-hour flight. From Paris they travelled by train to Brindisi, where they boarded a Short Bros. flying boat which waited them to Alexandria via the Gulf of Corinth, Athens and Crete (a distance of 958 miles) in 10 hr. 15 min.

The following day proved to be a (for him) record-breaking one, for it was the first one in which he had ever done 427 miles before breakfast. The journey took them over the Sudan, Lake Uganda, along the equator for a short way, and over Nairobi, Umbey, South Tanganyika, and through Rhodesia to Johannesburg.

At Johannesburg they changed to the South African Airways "Junkers" plane, and flew the remaining 811 miles to Capetown in 5 hr. 40 min., at an average speed of 147 miles an hour.

It was a wonderful and interesting trip, he concluded, and the efficiency with which all arrangements for the flight and accommodation en route were made reflected a great deal of credit on Imperial Airways. He believed that very shortly the whole journey from Southampton to Capetown would be accomplished in 64 days. His trip from Alexandria to Capetown, 5,537 miles, was made in 52 hr. 32 min., which worked out at an average of 105 miles an hour.

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STAPLES SURPRISES!

SPINACH IN SEASON

Luncheon Dishes

Spinach is one of the most valuable of vegetables. It is best cooked in its own moisture. Wash in several waters to remove grit, then put into a saucepan with the lid on. When it begins to cook remove the lid, add salt, and let it cook until soft, stirring occasionally. Add butter and pepper after draining off surplus moisture, mash well, and squeeze a little lemon-juice over.

To make a spinach soufflé, to a pound of the spinach cooked as above use an egg and four tablespoons of cream or white sauce. Beat the yolk of the egg with the cream, and beat up with the spinach, which should be well sieved. Beat the white of the egg to a stiff froth and fold carefully in. Half-fill a greased soufflé-dish and bake in a fairly hot oven for about twenty-five minutes. This is good served with grilled ham.

For spinach au gratin cook the spinach and cover the bottom of a buttered dish with it. Cover with a layer of grated cheese after sprinkling with pepper. Cover this with thick white sauce and fill up the dish like this, topping the last layer of sauce with grated cheese and buttered crumbs. Bake in a hot oven for about twenty minutes and brown the top under the grill if necessary.

HARD-BOILED EGGS.

Here are one or two more good luncheon dishes. As a change from the usual spinach and poached eggs, this should be tried. For three or four people cook two or three pounds of spinach in the usual way, season it well, and beat up with a little cream or evaporated milk. Make very hot and put in the middle of a hot dish. Have ready four or five hard-boiled eggs cut into halves and arrange round the spinach. Put two tablespoons of butter into a saucepan and cook a chopped onion in it until soft, but not brown. Sprinkle in a tablespoonful of flour, then gradually stir a cupful of milk, or milk and stock, into it. Season well, and when thick and smooth cook the eggs with it. For spinach rolls spread cooked spinach, mixed with a little cream, on thin rashers of bacon. Roll up, tie with string, and grill or bake in a hot oven until the bacon is crisp. Remove

the strings and arrange the rolls round a dish of fried eggs.

Spinach and tomatoes can be served as an accompaniment to chops or steaks. Rub the cooked spinach through a sieve and beat it up with a little white sauce, thick gravy, or cream. Put into a buttered dish and cover the top with peeled, sliced tomatoes. Season well, sprinkle with buttered breadcrumbs, and bake in the oven until the tomatoes are soft. Instead of breadcrumbs the tomatoes can be covered with strips of streaky bacon.

Left-over spinach can be made into appetising fritters. Press any moisture out of the spinach and chop it finely. Mix it with an equal quantity of fine breadcrumbs and a beaten egg. Flavour well with pepper, cayenne, salt, and nutmeg. Make into small balls and toss in a little seasoned flour, then coat with frying batter and fry in the usual way. Or press in to cakes, coat with flour, egg, and breadcrumbs and fry in butter instead of deep fat.

FRENCH BEANS AND MUSHROOMS

Top, tail and string about 1lb of French beans. Leave the beans whole. Cook them in the usual way in boiling salted water, but not as much as usual—they should be a little crisp. While they are cooking, peel and stalk 1lb. of mushrooms and break them into medium-sized pieces if they are large. Melt a little butter in a saucepan and cook the mushrooms in this over a very slow fire, with the saucepan covered. The steam given out in cooking will prevent them burning. When the mushrooms are cooked, remove them from the saucepan. Add salt and pepper and about a tablespoonful of the water in which the beans were cooked to the mushroom sauce and butter in the pan. Drain the beans, mix them with the mushrooms and turn the mixture into the saucepan where the mushroom sauce is cooking. Stir well and serve very hot.

If using soy, add half soy and half water to the mushroom juice, and omit the salt.

CRAB

In The Shell

Unless guests have a positive dislike for shellfish of any kind few dishes are more attractive by way of a change than those served in the shell and consisting, at least in part, of the fish to which the shell once served as a home.

They can do duty either as second courses or by themselves for a light meal with bread and butter and followed merely by cheese or fruit they solve some problems both for lunches and for suppers. Further, they can be prepared beforehand, so that nothing remains for the cook-hostess to do save to pop them in the oven for ten minutes or under a gas-grill.

There are two ways of serving crab. Scrape out all the meat, allowing one fair-sized crab for two persons, and cut it up finely with one tablespoonful of live oil and two of vinegar. Add salt and red pepper (with a dash of paprika if you like it), a pinch of grated nutmeg, three ounces of melted butter, and three ounces of breadcrumbs, brown or white, as you prefer, but in either case very fine. Mix well, fill the shell with the mixture, cover with crumbs, put on a few dabs of butter, and bake until brown. Or you can leave out the olive oil, substituting a thick white sauce to which a tablespoonful of bought salad dressing has been added for sharpness, and some chopped cooked mushrooms and pounded yolks of eggs which have been hard-boiled. This time there is no bread in the mixture, but the breadcrumbs and butter are added in the same way on the top.

SHREDDED CHICKEN SALAD

This is made with the dark meat of a cold boiled chicken. If you want to be less extra vagant, use the legs and carcass trimmings of a good boiling fowl. Serve the breast and wings but, with cream sauce and lots of rice, for dinner one night, and then use the dark meat for lunch the next day.

With a fork, or your fingers, shred the meat of legs and back until it is in pieces about the length of a match and twice the thickness. This is a lot easier and quicker than it sounds. Make a dressing of oil, vinegar, salt, pepper, mustard and a little ground ginger. Serve with lettuce. The Chinese dressing is made by mixing vinegar, soy sauce and a little ground ginger—something quite new in salad dressings and very, very good.

IMPRISONED FOR PERJURY

Sequel To Dispute Over Land Lease

Mr. Sukeshuro Yamamoto, a wealthy Osaka resident, who was summoned by the Osaka Procurator's Office on May 24th in connection with a land lease issue, was prosecuted on charges of false description of public documents and abetting perjury, states the "Japan Chronicle". Yoshio Adachi and Ichiro Tomura were also indicted for perjury, being sent to Kita Prison together with Mr. Yamamoto.

It is stated that Mr. Yamamoto was in dispute with a certain Mr. Yoshio Seo over the rent on Mr. Seo's land on which he (Yamamoto) had built a number of houses. Unable to obtain Mr. Yamamoto's consent to an increase in the rent, Mr. Seo gave notice of the cancellation of the lease contract, but the tenant refused to return the estate. Mr. Seo took the case to the Court, and won it. Mr. Yamamoto appealed.

At the hearing at the Osaka Court of Appeal some time ago, however, Mr. Yamamoto told the Court that he had transferred the ownership of the buildings in question to a third party, though actually he still possessed them. He requested both Adachi and Tomura, who were summoned as witnesses, to confirm his statement.

Fruit In Season

Local pineapple are on the market this week and are very juicy and sweet, but they never have quite the flavour of the West Indian or Hawaiian pineapples, nor have they that attractive deep yellow hue which makes those others so attractive.

As a dessert fruit they are a little disappointing, but they are very good cooked. Stewed and served with blanc mange they are nice, and cooked English-fashion like an apple pie, with a crust of crisp pastry, then chilled on the ice and served with whipped cream they make a delicious dish.

Papaya (or Papaya) as they are named in Ceylon) are ripe too. They should be sliced and served with sliced fresh lime (or lemon if preferred). Please note that just a few of the seed should be left on the dish, these have a pleasant peppery taste and add flavour to the fruit.

In Ceylon this fruit is Always served with bedside tea or at breakfast. It is supposed to be very good for everyone in the morning, but (like mangoes) is seldom served at night.

Peaches are also on sale this week and look very nice they seem rather hard, tho but strange to say the hard they are very sweet. It would seem therefore that they must be perfectly ripe. This fruit also is best cooked, either stewed or made into an open tart and served with custard.

In a big fruit shop in Nathan Road Kowloon there are some splendid-looking fresh green peppers. Those who like food well spiced and a piquant sauce with fish etc. will find that they are just the thing to add flavour.

EGG SALAD

Ingredients.—Three eggs, salt and pepper to taste, 3 teaspoons minced onion, 1oz butter, mayonnaise, lettuce and parsley.

Put the eggs into boiling water, and boil for 15 minutes. Remove from water and shell. Cut into halves cross-wise and remove yolks. Mash yolks in a basin until smooth. Moisten with mayonnaise to taste, and stir in minced onion. Return yolks to egg whites and garnish with a sprig of parsley.

Serve on a bed of crisp lettuce leaves, garnished with slices of beetroot. Enough for two or three persons.

To vary egg salad serve sometimes on a round of cold fried bread or on slices of tomato.

MAY SHOWS DROP IN PROSECUTIONS

The Municipal Advocate states in his report that 11,538 cases were prosecuted in the Shanghai First Special Area District Court and the Kiangsu High Court, Second Branch, during May, as compared with 11,717 in April, states the "North China Daily News".

Out of the total number of cases prosecuted 10,034 were administrative and 1,504 criminal cases. Out of the total number of administrative cases brought to trial, 6,236 persons failed to appear and their bail was confiscated, while 40 cases were withdrawn, as compared with 6,333 cases in which bail was confiscated and 40 withdrawn in April. Three thousand seven hundred and fifty-eight administrative cases were prosecuted to completion, out of which number 3,754 persons were convicted and four acquitted.

Twenty-eight criminal cases were withdrawn and 1,476 prosecuted to completion, out of which number 1,241 persons were convicted and 235 acquitted. The total number of administrative and criminal cases prosecuted to completion was 5,234, as compared with 5,315 in April. Four thousand, nine hundred and ninety-five persons were convicted and 239 acquitted, as compared with 5,011 convicted and 304 acquitted in April.

In addition to the above, there were 115 private criminal prosecutions, as compared with 106 in April.

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FOREIGN SHIPS AT SPITHEAD

Comparison With British Types

The presence of 17 foreign warships at Spithead for the Coronation Naval Review afforded a rare opportunity of comparing their designs with those of corresponding British types.

Unfortunately, from the technical point of view, the majority of the foreign vessels were either too old or of too specialised a type to meet local strategic requirements—made such a comparison really instructive.

Of the four battleships present, the United States New York, the Russian Marat, and the Argentine Moreno were more or less conventional specimens of the pre-war era.

The New York, however, have been extensively modernised. Her main armament of 10 14in guns, combined with excellent armour protection, justifies her retention in the U.S. battle fleet, though her speed of 20 knots is well below the modern average.

She is contemporary with the British Iron Duke class, of which only the nameship survives, though in a non-combatant capacity.

BIG GUN CONCENTRATION

A striking contrast is provided by the French battleship Dunkerque, which has only lately completed her trials. This 28,500-ton vessel, with an overall length of 702ft and a beam of 102ft, is the last word in capital ship design as envisaged by French naval experts.

Admittedly they were influenced by the Nelson and Rodney when planning the layout of main armament and control stations, but in all other respects the ideas incorporated in the ship are purely French. The concentration of all eight big guns in two turrets is regarded by most British naval men as unwise.

As was shown in the war, hits in turrets are apt to be frequent, and even a glancing blow is liable to damage the training machinery, making it impossible to lay the guns on the target. Thus, in the case of the Dunkerque, a single hit might disable half the main armament.

Another weakness is the absence of stern fire, though that is a defect shared by the Nelson. In more than one phase of the Battle of Jutland ships had to make a 16-point turn, i.e., retrace their course, on sighting superior enemy forces, and in such a situation the inability to fire stern might have been fatal.

British naval opinion now appears to favour all-round fire, and it is expected that some of the

THE SOUTHWARD DRIVE

Admiral Kobayashi On Formosa's Role

Admiral Kobayashi, Governor-General of Formosa, who, during his three weeks' stay in Tokyo, reported the present state of the rule of the island to the Tokyo authorities and exchanged views with them on the peaceful Southward development of Japan, has left for his post again, states the "Japan Chronicle". Breaking his journey at Osaka, he stopped overnight at the Hotel New Osaka. It is expected that the Governor-General will visit countries in the South Seas in October to explain the true nature of Japan's Southward policy to the authorities of those countries.

In a Press interview, the Governor-General said that his policy for the rule of Formosa met with the entire support of the Government. Friendship with the South Seas countries must be promoted, he said by forging closer ties of economic interdependence. Located as it is at the Southern extremity of Japanese territory, Formosa constitutes the key position for the Southward development of Japan. Unless the whole nation tries to utilize this geographical position of the island to the full, Japan's Southward efforts will not bring the desired result, the Governor-General said.

heavy guns in our new King George V. battleships will be mounted aft.

"POCKET" SHIPS LESS VALUABLE

Where the Dunkerque scores in respect of her strong protection and high speed—30 knots. The only British ship similarly endowed is the Hood, whose armament of eight 15in is also more powerful than the eight 13in guns of the French ship, though the latter could deliver a more rapid fire.

The German armoured ship Admiral Graf Spee represents one of those specialised types which have no counterpart in our Navy. While her design is a technical achievement of the highest order, it does not entitle her to rank as a battleship.

Her six 11in guns should enable her to overwhelm any ordinary cruiser of her own size, 10,000 tons, and for that reason she and her two sisters, Deutschland and Admiral Scheer, have introduced a new and baffling factor into naval strategy, a factor aggravated by their speed of 26 knots and very extensive cruising radius. But the ships are too lightly armoured to stand up to a capital ship, and it is expected that some of the

ANTI-FLOOD MEASURES

Shanghai P.W.D. Kept Busy

With a large squad of men working, the P.W.D. has begun the great task of fortifying The Bund against floods, and the engineers expect that the scheme will be completed in one month, in time for the typhoon season, states the "North China Daily News". A sea-wall about two feet high will be erected to protect the entire Bund front, and a powerful pump will be installed near the foot of Foochow Road to help empty the drains in time of flooding. Actual work on the sea-wall has been started near the War Memorial.

There are three main causes of flooding downtown, namely heavy rain, high tide, and the combination of high tide and a strong wind blowing the tide up the Whangpoo River. Although the steady water level very rarely rises above The Bund, the river, whipped up by a typhoon, sometimes flows over the edge.

The sea-wall which is now being built will extend practically the whole length of The Bund except from Kiukiang Road to Peking Road where the now raised foreshore provides protection against floods. It will be two feet high generally, slightly higher in places.

CAPACITY OF PUMP

The pump which is being installed will be situated underneath The Bund near the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank and will be an electrically-driven device capable of pumping about 3,000 gallons of water per minute. It will be a centrifugal pump. The area principally to be served by the pump is that bounded by The Bund, Avenue Edward VII, Foochow Road and Honan Road. This is the worst flood area, but it may later be found advisable to include adjoining territory in that to be pumped out in case of flooding. At present it is intended in time of flood to isolate the square defined above and to pump it reasonably dry while keeping the drains plugged.

are building 30-knot battleships the strategic value of the German "pocket" type is diminishing. That this is recognised in Germany is made evident by the decision to build no further units of the Deutschland class. All the same, there is food for thought in the fact that the British Navy at the present moment has available only two vessels Hood and Repulse, which could be depended on to hunt down and overpower a "pocket battleship".

CONFESSION BY VICAR'S WIFE

Offences For Which Husband Is Charged

A vicar's wife, serving a sentence for forging a cheque and for fraudulent conversion, was stated to have confessed to offences with which her husband was charged at Sedburgh (Yorkshire) Police Court recently, writes a Home correspondent.

The Rev. Cecil Herbert Dickens Lewis, Vicar of Cautley, near Sedburgh, was charged with converting to his own use £1 1s and two sums of 7s. 6d., the property of the Cautley-with-Dowbiggin Church School Managers.

Mr. R. C. Linney (prosecuting) said that Mr. Lewis was secretary-treasurer of the Cautley School Managers. On December 18 and 30 last two social functions were held in the hall, and on each occasion the Vicar received 7s. 6d. for the letting. It was alleged that those sums were not paid over. The Vicar was seen on March 10, and he said, "I received the money on both occasions and gave it to my wife to pay into the bank." The police asked him if he thought it wise to entrust money to his wife when criminal proceedings were being instituted against her.

IF WIFE WAS PAID

"It must be part of the case," said Mr. Linney, "that on November 21, a month before the Vicar received the two sums, Mrs. Lewis signed a statement admitting having fraudulently converted a cheque for £231. If the wife was paid money by the Vicar, then the Vicar is party to her conduct."

Mr. A. D. Gerrard (defending)—In the last few minutes I have had information from prison to the effect that before police inquiries were being made into the present charges, Mrs. Lewis confessed to these offences to the prison chaplain. She said her husband gave her the money to put into the bank.

Dealing with the charge relating to one guinea, Mr. Linney said that the Vicar received a cheque from the Sedburgh United Charities and it was paid by Mrs. Lewis to a Sedburgh butcher in part settlement of an account.

The hearing was adjourned.

VICAR'S EVIDENCE

When the Vicar, who pleaded not guilty, gave evidence his wife, who was accompanied by two wardresses, was not allowed in court. He said that he gave the bank-book and 15s. to his wife for the maid to pay into the bank. He had never received a cheque for £1 1s., and just before the annual meeting of the managers his wife told him that the bank manager had informed her that a cheque from Sedburgh Charity had been paid direct into the bank.

On March 8, two days before he was interviewed by the police, he had a letter from Mr. Lloyd, chaplain of Strangeways Prison.

Mr. Gerrard asked that the letter should be put in evidence, but Mr. Linney objected.

The letter, said Mr. Gerrard, amounted to a confession of offences by Mrs. Lewis.

"I am calling Mrs. Lewis and she will say, 'I did this that my husband is accused of,'" he said. "The husband and wife are not together in the matter."

The Bench decided that they must have proof of the letters sent out and received by Mrs. Lewis while in prison.

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Bing Crosby - Bob Burns

BAER TO STAY IN ENGLAND

Instead of leaving for America as he intended if he had lost to Ben Ford, Max Baer was recently jubilantly discussing a prolonged stay in this country, states the "Evening Standard."

His smashing come-back against Britain's former champion has convinced Baer that he can still attain big things and fight the world's best.

Smiling and unmarked he was out very early at Esher taking a long walk over the countryside with his wife, and telling her how he had conquered.

"I knew I had him from the start," Baer told a reporter, "and I only waited until I got my eye in properly to land a big punch."

"I nearly did it in the second round, but the bell saved Ford and I was quite content to wait until the opportunity presented itself again."

"I really felt sorry that I had to hit Ben so hard in that ninth round, but I had to win convincingly to prove that I have not lost my punching powers. Ford showed wonderful pluck."

Baer, whose ear and throat were damaged, saw a specialist.

Mr. Anell Hoffman, Baer's manager, said that they were keen to stay in England for more fights, and hoped to arrange something within the next few days.

FILM WORK

"Meanwhile, we are negotiating for Max to start making a film here," he added. "That will probably take about four weeks, and then he will go into training again."

"Retiring? Not on your life. We are aiming for the high spots again."

It is understood that Baer's next fight will, in all probability, be against the winner of the Farr-Nussel contest, which takes place on June 15.

FOORD'S PLANS

Foord has broken the main bone in his right hand. He visited a Harley-street specialist for an X-ray examination.

Mr. Louis Walsh, his manager, told a reporter that Foord's only

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:—
"Mary Stevens, M.D."

QUEEN'S:—
"Mr. Deeds Goes to Town"

ORIENTAL:—
"The Bride Walks Out"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—
"Time Out For Romance"

MAJESTIC:—
"Naughty Marietta"

STAR:—
"College Holiday"

Coming

KING'S:—
"Stage Struck"

QUEEN'S:—
"Waikiki Wedding"

ORIENTAL:—
"Satan Met A Lady"

ALHAMBRA:—
"Waikiki Wedding"

MAJESTIC:—
"Tiger Shark"

STAR:—
"Waikiki Wedding"

MARY STEVENS, M.D.

Fate seems to lie in wait on the high seas for Kay Francis, dark haired Warner Bros. star, every time she makes a picture. In her last three pictures, at least an ocean voyage has been the turning point in the drama of which she was the central figure.

In "Mary Stevens, M.D.," now at the King's Theatre, Kay Francis meets tragedy face to face as she is returning from Europe, when her own infant son dies of the very disease she is battling with in the steering of the vessel, to save an immigrant woman's two children.

Distinctly different from any of Kay Francis' previous vehicles "Mary Stevens, M.D." presents the star in the role of a famous child specialist, Glenda Farrell and Lyle Talbot have the principal roles in her support, with Thelma Todd and George Cooper and Harold Huber in other interesting characterizations. Lloyd Bacon directed the picture, which is taken from a novel by Virginia Kellogg.

NAUGHTY MARIETTA

Music, romance, stirring drama and spectacle blend in one of the outstanding screen productions of the year in "Naughty Marietta," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's haunting screen transcription of Victor Herbert's masterpiece, now playing at the Majestic Theatre.

The charming music of the great composer, as sung by Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy playing the leading roles in the picture, is heard against a thundering background of drama. The settlement of Louisiana, pioneer struggles, the "Marriage Auction" of St. Louis of the old Creole days; the capture of the Casquette Girls by pirates, their rescue, and other gripping dramatic details are woven into a story that, aside from music, provides an epic recital of the founding of one of America's most romantic cities.

TIME OUT FOR ROMANCE

A riotous romance on wheels, with every speeding second crammed with hilarious, exciting adventure, "Time Out For Romance" opens at the Alhambra Theatre to-day, with lovely Claire Trevor and stalwart Michael Whalen heading a cast which includes Joan Davis, Douglas Fowley and Bennie Bartlett.

As a runaway bride and a highway Romeo, with a motor caravan of coo-coos on their hands, the Trevor-Whalen duo find their lives filled with a multitude of mishaps, all of them either thrilling or side-splitting, and proving that when you pick up a hitch-hiking heiress, you pick up a carload of heart-trouble!

plan for the future was a visit to America to see the "Louis-Broadway" fight in June. He will stay there for a short holiday.

FILM BANNED AT SHANGHAI

Order Comes
Half An Hour
Before Showing

The Isis Theatre, Shanghai, again leaped into the news a few days ago when the film which was to be shown, "We Are From Kronstadt," was banned half an hour before the time when it was to start. The order that the film was to be withdrawn came from the City Government of Greater Shanghai, although the film had already been passed by the Nanking censors.

The film centered around the revolutionary events in Russia in 1919. A picture that had been banned from exhibition in the Settlement, "Spain in Flames," was hurriedly substituted and shown to an audience, depleted owing to the fact that many who had come to see the original picture went away disappointed.

A strong detachment of Chinese police, under Inspector "Power" Chen, were present at the theatre during the performance, in addition to uniformed and plain clothes members of the Settlement Police. It was the re-opening night of the theatre, which had been closed for repairs following a raid by Italian marines during the showing of a film called "Abyssinia."

KING LEADS DANCE WITH HIS SISTER

The Queen Partnered
By King Farouk

The King and Queen were host and hostess at Buckingham Palace to more than 2,000 guests at the second Court Ball of their reign, states the "Daily Telegraph."

The scene in the great ballroom was one of dazzling brilliance when the King and Queen came in, walking in procession, just after ten o'clock.

The Lord Chamberlain, the Earl of Cromer, and the other officers of State, in the uniforms of their offices, and carrying their staves, walked backwards before the King and Queen. Behind came Queen Mary and the other members of the Royal family—31 in all.

The band played the National Anthem and the 2,000 guests stood while the King and Queen took their seats on gold and crimson damask chairs in the centre of the Royal dais. Queen Mary had a seat of honour beside them.

The King wore the full dress uniform of the Cameron Highlanders.

The Queen's gown was of gold brocade, embroidered in a leaf design in diamante, which glittered and shone as she moved in the soft light of the rose candelabra in the ballroom.

Her tiara was of diamonds and rubies, and she wore a necklace of the same stones.

On the King's command to the Lord Chamberlain the band began to play a fox-trot. The King led his sister, the Princess Royal, who was in a gown of white and silver, on to the floor and began to dance.

The Queen danced the first dance with King Farouk of Egypt. Other members of the Royal family joined in the dance.

Queen Mary, with the blue ribbon of the Garter across the corage of her gown of white and silver, sat watching the scene. The Queen, too, wore the Garter across her corage.

For the second dance the Duke of Gloucester, a fine figure in scar-

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

THURSDAY, JUNE 17.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—
John Wesley born, 1703. R. H. Barham died, 1845. Bunker Hill Day, (Mass. U.S.A.), St. Alban.

Auctions.—Crown Lands, at Land Office, Ping Shan, 11.30 a.m.

Cinemas.—(See Page 5).
Entertainments.—Kowloon Union Church "Arctic Frolic" in the Grounds of Diocesan Girls' School, 8.30 p.m.

Lectures.—Theosophical Society, 8 p.m.; Dr. Montgomery on "A Visit to Bali"; and with film on Hong Kong's Coronation Celebrations, in St. Andrew's Hall, 9 p.m.

Meetings.—Women's Guild, in St. John's Cathedral Hall, 3 p.m.; Finance Committee, in Cathedral Office, 5.15 p.m.; Hong Kong Hockey Association, in St. Andrew's Hall, 6 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Claims against Estate of Abraham Jacob David due.

Social.—Civil Service Whist Drive, 9.20 p.m.; Cheero Club Contract Bridge and Mah Jong Drive, 8 p.m.

Sports.—(See Page 10).
Moon.—V Moon, 9th. Day.
Sunrise.—5.59 a.m. Sunset.—7.09 p.m.

Tides.—High at 04.45 and 16.30; Low at 10.45 and 22.08.

FRIDAY, JUNE 18.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—
Waterloo Day, 1815. Hammersmith Bridge opened, 1887.

Cinemas.—(See Page 5).
Lectures.—Helena May Christian Fellowship, 10.30 a.m.

Miscellaneous.—Claims against the Estate of George Hutton Potts (George Frederick Hutton Potts) due.

Social.—Cheero Club Duplicate Contract Bridge, 8 p.m.; Grand Tombola, Garrison Lecture Hall, 7.30 p.m.; V.D.M.A. Group Social, at St. Andrew's Hall, 8.45 p.m.

Sports.—(See Page 10).
Moon.—V Moon, 10th. Day.
Sunrise.—5.59 a.m. Sunset.—7.10 p.m.

Tides.—High at 05.25 and 18.00; Low at 12.14 and 22.55.

SATURDAY, JUNE 19.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—
G. J. Whyte-Melville born, 1821. C. H. Spurgeon born, 1834.

Cinemas.—(See Page 5).
Sports.—(See Page 10).
Moon.—V Moon, 11th. Day.
Sunrise.—5.59 a.m. Sunset.—7.10 p.m.

Tides.—High at 06.06 and 19.30; Low at 13.12 and 23.40.

let and gold military uniform, with the Order of the Garter, danced with the Duchess, who was dressed in a pale shade of peacock blue. The Duke of Kent, also in military uniform and wearing the Garter, danced with the Duchess, who was in a dress of shot silver and green, with a diamond tiara in her hair.

The first few dances, all fox-trots were danced by the King and Queen and the other royalties, while the general company stood watching.

The King and Queen led the procession of members of the Royal Family and foreign royalties in to supper. This was served at buffets in the State apartments, and royal servants in full State liveries of scarlet and gold, with powdered hair waited on the guests.

After supper the general company began to dance. The dancing continued till the early hours of the morning.

Music was supplied by the string band of the Royal Artillery, under the direction of Lt. O. W. Geary.

The police arrangements were efficiently carried out. There was practically no delay to guests or other traffic passing through the Park.

"I PASS SOON INTO THE SHADE"

In a voice sometimes faltered with emotion, and was often hoarse with emphasis, Mr. Baldwin, who said, "I have had my hour and pass soon into the shade," made what he described as "my last speech before a great audience, as Prime Minister of this country," to 2,000 young men and women of the Empire at the Albert Hall recently.

It was a Rally of Youth from Canada, India, Australia, and South Africa, and when Mr. Baldwin got up to speak he faced the upon tier of eager faces of young

people who cheered him to the echo. His face blanched and paled under a barrage of cheering.

Following the reference to his passing, Mr. Baldwin went on to say, with his chin thrust forward and a challenging look in his eyes:

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Mr. Baldwin recalled the words of Edmund Burke, that it was needful "to bring the dispositions that are lovely in private life into the service and conduct of the commonwealth, so to be patriotic and not to forget we are English."

"You are bound to be of some effect, for good or for evil, in your neighbourhood and your country," continued the Prime Minister. "Do your best by it, for your own sake and for the sake of your children."

"Our friend General Smuts used the fine phrase, 'Humanity has struck its tent; and it is once more on the march; but it is not certain whether it is a march forward to the promised land or backward to a wilderness of suffering and sorrow such as we went through twenty years ago.'

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REPORT ON IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

Proceedings Summarised

London, June 15.

A summary of the proceedings of the Imperial Conference has now been issued.

In the section devoted to foreign affairs, the Conference records the results of the deliberations. While no attempt was made to formulate commitments which, in any event, could not be made effective until approved and confirmed by the respective Parliaments, the representatives of the Governments concerned found themselves in close agreement upon a number of general propositions. Thus, they agreed that for each member of the Commonwealth the first objective is the preservation of peace. In their view, the settlement of differences between nations and the adjustment of national needs should be sought by methods of co-operation, joint enquiry and conciliation. In such methods, and not in recourse to the use of force between nation and nation, the surest guarantee will be found for the improvement of international relations and respect for mutual obligations.

Holding these views, and desiring to base their policies upon the aims and ideals of the League of Nations, the delegates found themselves unanimous in declaring that their respective armaments will never be used for purposes of aggression or for any purpose inconsistent with the Covenant of the League or the Pact of Paris. At the same time, impressed with the desirability of strengthening the influence of the League by enlargement of its membership, they united in expressing the view that this object would be facilitated by the separation of the Covenant from the Treaties of Peace.

SPECIAL INTERESTS

Observing that in respect of certain regions in which a number of states have special interests, regional agreements of friendship and collaboration between individual members of the British Commonwealth and other States so interested have been entered upon, or it may be contemplated, they welcomed all such agreements, insofar as they can be made to contribute to the cause of peace and do not conflict with the Covenant of the League of Nations.

The Australian proposal for a pact of non-aggression in the Pacific is to be the subject of further consultation between Governments. They all desired earnestly to see as wide a measure of disarmament as possible, but were agreed that the several Governments of which they are representative, are bound to adopt such measures of defence as they might deem essential for their security, as well as for fulfilment of their international obligations.

The representatives also had under review the possibility of reviving confidence and increasing the stability of economic and financial conditions in the world—a process which they considered essential to the prosperity of individual countries as well as to international peace. They declared themselves ready to co-operate with other nations in examining

World Montessori Congress

TEN DAYS' SESSION TO BE HELD IN
DENMARK IN AUGUST

The sixth International Montessori Congress with "Education for Peace" as the chief subject, will be held in Copenhagen, Denmark, from August 1-10 next, according to information received in Shanghai, says the "North China Daily News."

The honorary president of the Congress will be Mr. Jorgen Jorgensen, Danish Minister of Education, and among the honorary vice-presidents are Mr. Th. Stauning, Danish Prime Minister, and Dr. P. Munch, Minister for Foreign Affairs; besides Viscount Robert Cecil of Chelwood and Mr. Herriot, President of the French Chamber of Deputies.

At the plenary meeting of the Congress which will be held in the Festival Hall of the Danish Parliament, Dr. Montessori will deliver five lectures.

The participants for the Congress will moreover get an opportunity to visit Kronborg (Hamlet's home); typical Danish agricultural activities, Danish china manufactures, Thorvaldsen's Museum, the Glyptothek, the Museum of the Danish Kings in Rosenborg Castle, the famous collection of antiquities at the National Museum and Tivoli. The participants of the Congress will

besides undertake a trip through the port of Copenhagen and will be received by the City Council in the Copenhagen City Hall.

Participants will report to Dr. Maria Montessori, of No. 1, Hampstead Hill Gardens, London N.W.3, England, or Mr. Vilhelm Rasmussen, "Director of the Teachers' College, of No. 14, Odensegade, Copenhagen, Denmark.

THE LECTURES

Dr. Maria Montessori:—Why Education can influence the peace of the world; The extension of education needed to bring peace; The form education should take in the face of present dangers; The need for universal understanding of moral training for defence; Education as the raising of man and society.

Dr. P. Munch:—History and international relations.

Lord Allen of Hurtwood:—Education as the weapon of peace and democracy.

Dr. Elisabeth Rotten:—Hidden forces of human nature.

Professor A. Varnas:—Drawing in Montessori schools.

Dr. W. J. Jordan:—Experiments in the teaching of biology.

Director Vilhelm Rasmussen:—The pedagogy of doubt.

PLYMOUTH BYE ELECTION

London, June 15.

The by-election in the Drake division of Plymouth was held today, polling resulting in the retention of the seat by the Conservatives.

Result:

Lieut.-Col. Henry Guest.

(Con.) 15,778.

Mr. Garratt (Lab.) 11,044.

Con. majority 4,734.

At the last General Election, Captain F. E. Guest (Conservative) polled 21,448 votes and Mr. J. J. Moses (Labour) 15,368, giving the Conservative candidate a majority of 6,078.—
Reuter.

SITUATION IN INDIA REVIEWED

Calcutta, June 15.

Jawaharlal Nehru, in a speech on the Indian Political situation, reiterated that Congress was not going to withdraw its declaration that it would not work under the Government of India Act and added that only the All-India Congress Committee could change the terms laid down regarding the acceptance of office though it was true that without changing the conditions certain interpretations could be put upon them by the Congress Working Committee.—
Reuter.

current difficulties, including trade barriers and other obstacles to the increase of international trade, and the improvement of the general standard of living.—
British Wireless.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE SUGGESTION RECEIVES WELCOME

Berlin, June 15.

The Imperial Conference suggestion to separate the League Covenant from peace treaties has been very favourably received in Germany.

An official spokesman told Reuter to-day it was gratifying to see statesmen who were further from the scene, had reached this conclusion earlier than European statesmen. It was the opinion of German authorities, he said, that it would now be possible for Britain to take the initiative in this direction, which would be a first step in the reform of the League.

The separation of the two elements would mark the beginning of a move towards unity of nations.

On the other hand, it was pointed out elsewhere, the separation alone would not necessarily bring back Germany to the League immediately. One statesman told Reuter that it was "only one step forward."—
Reuter.

PARIS FREE-OCCUPIED

Paris, June 15.

Government circles are too pre-occupied with the domestic crisis

to express any considered view of the Imperial Conference suggestion for the separation of peace pacts from the League Covenant. But Reuter gathers that formidable opposition is unlikely.

It is pointed out that the Covenant made of integral peace treaties was so constructed to meet the desires of the late Mr. Woodrow Wilson, who feared the League idea would not live otherwise. But the League has been going on eighteen years and is still a reality, whereas treaties are crumbling. Therefore separation would not greatly matter.—
Reuter.

REFORM OF LEAGUE

Geneva, June 15.

It is recalled here that Britain has already mooted the separation for reform of the League. Nevertheless, the reaffirmation of support for this principle in the Imperial Conference report has attracted great interest, though it is felt the proposals must be much more far-reaching with regards the modification of the Covenant if Germany is to be brought back to the United States brought in.—
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CHINESE MARITIME CUSTOMS

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The advantages of motor roads, continues the report, are gradually being realized, a good number of new dirt and ash roads having been made in recent years, and regular bus connections established with important towns and villages around Shanghai. Details of these are given, together with useful information concerning railway services, air lines and air mails to Shanghai.

RADIO STATIONS
At Chenju, the Chinese government maintains fourteen short wave wireless stations, with power outputs of from 15 to 40 kilowatts, which are in communication with San Francisco, Berlin, Geneva, Rome, London, Paris, Moscow, and Europe in general. At Fenglingchiao are another six short wave stations, of 2 kilowatts power output each, which communicate with Hong Kong, Tokyo, Saigon, Manila and Asia in general. Shanghai is connected to all parts of the world by privately-owned cable stations which are under Government licence, as is the overland telegraph system to Russia and Europe.

HARBOUR
The report next turns its attention to the "Shanghai Harbour" and more interesting information is found. The deepest draught vessel to enter was the s.s. President Coolidge, 31 ft. 3 in., which is 615.6 feet long, and has a gross tonnage of 21,936. The largest vessel piloted to Woosung was, of course, the Empress of Britain, 733.3 feet in length, 97.8 feet in breadth, 42,348 gross tonnage, and 30.3 feet draught on arrival.

PILOTS
The pilotage service for Shanghai is under the administration of the Harbour Master. The number of licensed pilots at the end of the year was 39, all being on the active list with the exception of one, who acted as manager. The total tonnage of vessels piloted in 1935 was 18,754,882 tons and in 1936 18,078,643.

EXPLOSIVES
Explosives and munitions of war imported into Shanghai in 1936 showed a decided increase as compared with 1935; 11,563 packages of explosives or munitions of war were received for storage as against 9,012 packages in 1935, while 11,467 packages were delivered as against 9,654. During 1936, the magazines at Maluchiao were full on seven occasions and at Kauchiao once.

RIVER POLICE
The authorized strength of the Chinese River Police Staff was maintained at 128, eight of these being engaged in detective duties and seven performing acting detective duties.

WOOSUNG
The report travels down to Woosung, to deal with the harbour station there and work in connection with it. Several minor salvage operations were successfully completed, including the removal of a portion of the hull, machinery and a boiler from the wreck of the s.s. Anwo, which sank forty years ago; the locating of the wreck of the s.s. Lise Moller; the finding of a torpedo between the Lismore Buoy and the wreck of the Lise Moller; and the discovery of the wreck of an unknown vessel near the Whangpoo Conservancy Coal Wharf.

CONFISCATION MAY BE ORDERED

Five thousand copper coins found aboard the Pearl on Sunday are the subject of investigation by the Naval authorities. It has been found that the coins are genuine.

There is a prohibition against the export of copper and silver currency from China, and the Naval authorities are now deliberating as to whether the coins should be confiscated.

The coins belong to the Chinese chief cook aboard the Pearl.

WOMAN INJURED

Resulting from a fall from the second floor of a house in Gough Street yesterday afternoon, Pak Fung, married woman, suffered severe injuries and was taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

According to a police report, the woman was standing on a bed hanging out clothes when the bed broke and she was thrown into the street below.

U.S. SEAMEN CONVICTED

For Assault On Chief Officer

B. Davis, 34, and R. Martineau, 24, both seamen aboard the Dollar liner President Wilson, were convicted on one of two charges of assault when they appeared on remand before Commander J. B. Newell (Harbour Master) at the Marine Court yesterday morning.

Davis and Martineau were convicted of an assault on Chief Officer V. Nielsen aboard the President Wilson while she was berthed at the Kowloon Wharf on June 8 last.

His Worship commented that the attack by Davis on the Chief Officer was particularly savage and imposed a fine of \$150 with the alternative of six weeks' hard labour.

Martineau was fined \$100 or, in default, four weeks' hard labour. Both defendants were found not guilty on the charge of assaulting First Junior Engineer W. C. Venters aboard the liner.

Mr. D. H. Blake appeared for the prosecution and the accused were represented by Mr. J. M. D'Almeida Remedios.

DOG OWNERS FINED

Several dog owners appeared before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy yesterday for allowing their dogs to wander around the streets without muzzles or leads, and for keeping them without licences.

Mrs. Leigh Gardiner of No. 12 Hillcrest admitted a summons for allowing her dog to wander about in Stubbs Road, near the Upper Peak Tram Station, without a muzzle on May 27. His Worship imposed a fine of \$10.

A similar fine was imposed on B. Schreider of No. 32 The Peak for allowing his dog abroad in Stubbs Road on May 26.

J. K. Blousfield of No. 460 The Peak was fined \$5 for allowing his dog to run around in Baker Road without a muzzle on May 27. Defendant pleaded guilty by letter.

Wong Shek-to was summoned on two counts of allowing his dogs to be in Tytam Bay without a muzzle or leash on May 26, and for keeping the dog without a licence. Defendant admitted the charges and fines totalling \$15 were imposed.

H. S. Yung residing at 47c Robinson Road 1st floor was fined \$2 for keeping a dog without a licence. Defendant denied another charge of allowing his dog to run about at Repulse Bay without a muzzle. He stated that the animal had been bought from Major Hogg two days previously. His Worship then fixed the hearing for Saturday at 11 a.m.

Mr. C. Y. Kwan who appeared on behalf of Mrs. S. L. Ho of No. 18 Seymour Road pleaded not guilty to a summons for keeping a dog which was dangerous and uncontrollable at 6.20 p.m. on May 7. This case was adjourned until noon on Monday June 21.

Tsol Sui-cheung of No. 5 Village Road ground floor was fined \$10 for permitting his dog to run around in Shing Wo Road without a muzzle on May 31.

FATHER MUTILATES BABY SON

Believes Him Born Of Some Supernatural Being

A Chinese farmer, named Hu Chang-chun, has been arrested by police in Peiping for mutilating the corpse of an infant son.

Mrs. Hu has given birth to three children since she was married. The first two, a son and a daughter, died in infancy. The third one, a boy of two years, died a week ago.

As none of the three children survived infancy Hu believed that they were born of some supernatural being. Hoping that his fourth child would not share the fate of the first three, he cut the body of the dead boy with a chopper, and buried it secretly.

This was discovered when Hu reported to the police that his son had died. Asked where he buried the child, he told the police of how he mutilated the body. Hu was immediately arrested and taken to the police station.

TAXI-DRIVER ASSAULTED

KOWLOON RESIDENT CAUTIONED

W. L. Ramsay, of 141, Waterloo Road, and his brother A. W. Ramsay were summoned before Mr. K. M. A. Barneth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday at the instigation of Ho Sang, taxi-driver of the Blue Taxis, Co., who accused the defendants of having assaulted him on May 23 about 1.40 a.m.

Mr. F. H. Loseby, for the prosecution, said that complainant was ordered to go to Waterloo Road, the home of the defendants. When he reached there he was told that he was not wanted. It was alleged that complainant had called the wife of first defendant a liar, which he strongly resented.

Regarding second defendant, Mr. Loseby requested his Worship to dismiss the summons against him as he was only attempting to prevent the assault. Mr. Loseby added that first defendant was prepared to apologise to the complainant.

Mr. Loseby explained that the reason for the complainant taking up the case of simple assault was because there had been several incidents of assaults on taxi-drivers. He recalled one case which had to be settled in the Supreme Court.

Having accepted that explanation, and in view of defendant's willingness to apologise to the taxi-driver, the magistrate let defendant off with a caution.

TRAGIC DEATH OF INDIAN LADY

Members of the local Sikh community were shocked yesterday to learn of the death, under tragic circumstances, of Mrs. M. S. Dillon, the 24-year-old wife of Mr. Dillon, a clerk in the Storekeeper's Office, Police Headquarters. According to a police report the body of Mrs. Dillon was found hanging from the banisters of the house adjoining her home in Causeway Bay.

A talented and cultured young lady, deceased was a member of the Victoria Nursing Division of the St. John Ambulance Brigade.

First news of the tragedy was received at about 10 a.m. by Mrs. Dillon's brother-in-law, who was informed by an amah who lived opposite to the deceased that the body was hanging from the staircase banisters of No. 17, Ngan Mok Street, Causeway Bay. The deceased and her husband resided at No. 19, and as the door to the roof of the next house was found open, it is presumed that Mrs. Dillon made her entrance to No. 17 from this point when found. Mrs. Dillon was already dead.

DR. A. MISTOWSKI

Visit To Far Eastern Music School

An interesting address was given to the pupils of the Far Eastern Music School, Singapore, by Dr. A. Mistowski, the visiting examiner of the Trinity College of Music. There were three principles students should keep in mind, he said, and they were: constant practice, to cultivate relaxation and to obey teachers implicitly. He expressed great satisfaction with the work done at the school. Regarding the "Solpeggio Course," which is being introduced at the school by the principal, Mr. M. R. Andano, Dr. Mistowski said the course was famous on the Continent and taught the requirements of a good musician.

Philharmonic Society Launch Picnic

It will be remembered that at the Annual General Meeting of the Hong Kong Philharmonic Society it was decided that the weather within the next few weeks was not suitable for the dance generally held, and it was decided that a launch picnic would be a more appropriate way of celebrating the success of "The Street Singer."

The request for members to support the proposed venture has met with encouraging response, and the steam launch "Man Sang" has been chartered for the occasion from the Yamat Ferry Company Limited.

The launch leaves Kowloon Pier on Saturday at 4.15 p.m., and Queen's Pier at 2.30 p.m. the destination of which will be in the nature of a mystery.

NURSES BOARD EXAMINATION

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HONG KONG SANITORIUM AND HOSPITAL

Miss Wong Lai Wah, Miss Wong Mei Yee, Miss Leung Wai Hing, Miss Leung Shui Chong.

MENACE TO THE PUBLIC

Chan Hong, aged 35, was charged with robbing a 65 year-old man, Li Ming, with violence, of \$16 in a scavenging lane in the early morning of May 18, at the Criminal Sessions yesterday morning before the Puisse Judge, Mr. Justice R.E. Lindell, who sentenced him to two years' hard labour and 20 strokes of the cane. His Lordship remarked that people like accused were a menace to the public.

It will be recalled that prisoner was alleged to have robbed the old man in a scavenging lane between Percival and Tung Lung Streets about 2 a.m. on May 18. He attacked complainant, threw pepper into his face and flung him to the ground. He was subsequently arrested by a Chinese constable on the stairs of No. 21 Tung Lung Street.

Accused admitted the robbery but denied striking his victim.

Remarking that such cases of robbery with violence and bag-snatching had been on the increase, Mr. M.J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, who prosecuted, asked for a heavy penalty.

NO EXCUSES TO OFFER

Appearing before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, at the Criminal Sessions yesterday morning, Ko Hak-ming, aged 20, cashier, pleaded guilty to four charges of uttering forged documents and obtaining money by false pretences from the Union Insurance Society of Canton, as a result of which he was sentenced to two years' hard labour.

Prisoner admitted the following charges:

(1) uttering a forged document purporting to be a certificate made by the Chief Officer of the s.s. Hupeh, knowing the same to be forged and with intent to defraud on April 19.

(2) uttering a forged document purporting to be a certificate made by the Comptroller of the S.S. Hupeh on April 19.

(3) obtaining \$2,284.28 from the Union Insurance Society of Canton on April 20 by falsely pretending that certain cargo, with which the Society were insurers, had been lost.

(4) uttering a forged document purporting to be a letter written by the Tsang Tai Yuen firm on March 18.

Prisoner was also charged with:

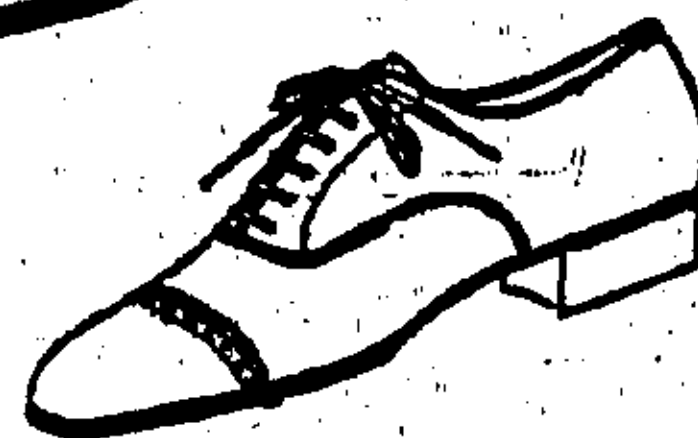
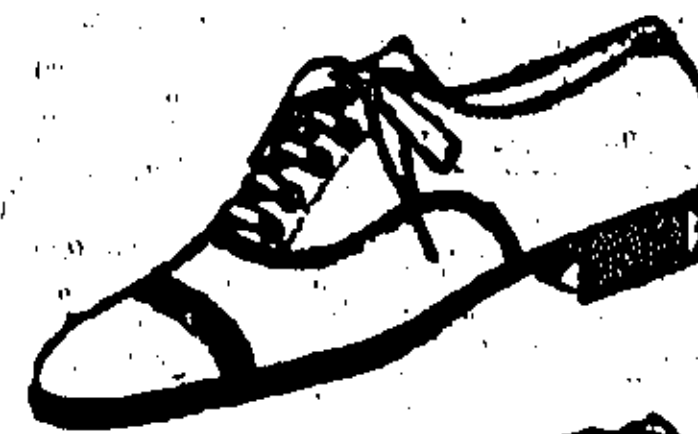
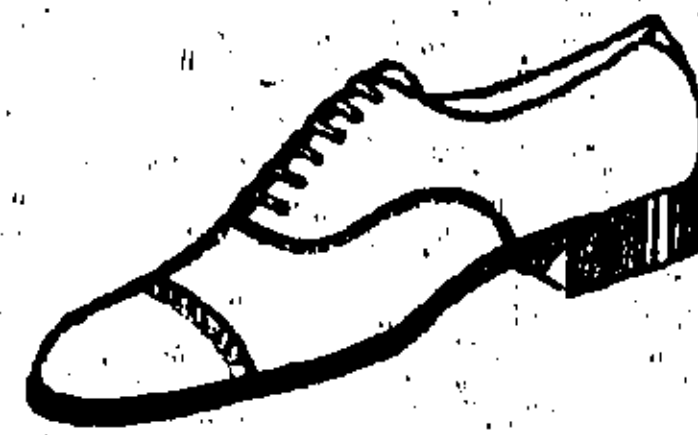
(a) uttering a forged document purporting to be a receipt from the Tsang Tai Yuen firm to the New Zealand Insurance Co. for the sum of \$2,284.28 on March 20.

(b) obtaining the sum of \$2,284.28 from the New Zealand Insurance Co. on March 20.

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Navy's Need

Information I have received suggests that a fully equipped short training naval establishment at Rosyth will be completed earlier than was originally planned—about three years hence, writes a Home correspondent. The recent response to the Admiralty's call for recruits strengthens this opinion. H.M.S. Caledonia in the Forth and the four establishments in England are all fully manned with young seamen and artificers. What the Navy requires most, however, are adult artificers, and the authorities in Whitehall recognise that with the ever-growing demands for this class of labour by the Army Air Force, and most of all by the shipyards, the time is ripe for extending their own training facilities.

Next First Sea Lord

I have heard it suggested that the conferment of a peerage upon Sir Ernle Chatfield indicates his intention to retire before reaching the age limit, writes a Home correspondent. For Admirals of the Fleet this is 65. He could, therefore, remain First Lord till Sept. 27, 1938, when he will attain that age.

Meanwhile the names of two or three admirals are already being canvassed in the Service clubs as his probable successor.

It is generally considered that the next First Lord will be either Sir Roger Backhouse or Sir Dudley Pound. The former is a year younger, but is senior, by some eleven months in admiral's rank.

The latter charges, which were subsequently withdrawn by Mr. E.H. Williams, Assistant Attorney-General, who said he would offer no evidence, were denied by the prisoner.

When asked if he had any excuse to give for committing the offences to which he had pleaded guilty, prisoner replied that he should go to jail, after which His Lordship sentenced him to two years' hard labour on each of the charges, the sentences being concurrent.

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Public Works Department,
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WEDDING

Sir Evelyn Wrench And Lady Des Vœux

The marriage between Sir Evelyn Wrench and Lady Des Vœux took place quietly at St. Paul's Church, Knightsbridge, states the "Morning Post."

The bridegroom is the only surviving son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Wrench, of Ballybrack, County Dublin, and the bride is the only surviving daughter of the late Sir Victor Brooke, of Colebrook, County Fermanagh, Northern Ireland.

The Rev. Eric Hamilton, the Vicar, officiated, and Sir Norman Angell was best man.

The bride was given away by her brother, Major-General Alan Brooke, C.B., D.S.O.

There was no reception.

Others attending the ceremony included:

Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Pelly, Mrs. Alan Brooke, Mrs. Butler Brooke, Mrs. Thomas Porter, and Miss Winifred Wrench, the Directors and some of the staff of the "Spectator," and members of the Council and staff of the Overseas League, representatives of the Voluntary Hostesses of the Workers League, and members of the Committee and staff of the English-Speaking Union.

Immediately after the ceremony the bride and bridegroom left for Canada, Alaska, and the United States.

CORONATION TEASPOON

London, June 16.

A replica in gold of the Coronation souvenir teaspoon given by the Westminster City Council to school children is to be presented to Queen Mary to commemorate her recent visit to the Coronation tea at the Albert Hall. Each child who was unable to attend the Council's tea parties is to be given a new shilling.

British W. Ass.

FORTUNE SPENT ON PLANES

Dutch East Indies Buy From U.S.

Amsterdam, June 16.

The Dutch East Indies were the biggest buyers of war materials on the American market during the month of May, according to information received here from the State Department, Washington.

The total sum of \$2,500,000 spent by the Dutch East Indies was, it is added, devoted exclusively to the purchase of military airplanes.—*Transoceanic News Service.*

GENERAL BECK TO VISIT LONDON

Berlin, June 16.

General Beck, Chief of the General Staff, is visiting London during the week-end. General Beck goes to Paris to-day visit the exhibition and is expected to take the opportunity of discussing questions of mutual interest with General Gamelin. At the conclusion of his visit he will proceed to London.—*Reuter.*

REPORT DENIED

Berlin, June 16.

Informed quarters here deny the reports in the Paris papers that the Chief of the General Staff of the German Army, General Beck, who is due to arrive in Paris on a visit to-day will travel direct from the French capital to London.

It is stated that on the contrary General Beck will return straight to Berlin from Paris, being expected home about the middle of next week.—*Transoceanic News Service.*

raw materials. Coal, among the unmanufactured products that we send abroad, shows a rise in April, over the sales of April, 1936, of just over 700,000 tons in quantity and of \$764,000 in value. More than any other item of the accounts this points to greater shipping activity and increased industrial demand abroad.

Taking the figures for the first four months of the year, imports increased by \$45,484,000, British exports by \$24,662,000 and re-exports by \$4,249,000, which would suggest that the "adverse balance" of trade has increased on the four months of the year by \$16,573,000.

Shipping figures give promise that a large part of the adverse balance will be wiped out by additional invisible exports. During April 800,000 more tons of shipping left British ports with cargoes than in April last year; the gain over the four months of the year is 1,400,000 tons and freights have risen.

By every test that can be made there is definite evidence that in commercial matters the world is once more struggling to its feet. The figures of French trade are published almost simultaneously with our own. They show a growth as remarkable both in imports and exports, in spite of the strikes that held up French shipping earlier in the year. Labour unrest and fears about gold have weakened markets, but the figures of foreign trade, the reports of industrial companies and the growing receipts of railways at home and abroad all strengthen the view that the recovery shown first in home markets is spreading to international commerce. Much ground has still to be recovered, and many hampering restrictions have to be removed, either piecemeal or by general agreement. Even while these exist the trade figures afford unchallengeable evidence that, with peace between nations and in industry, the traders of the world can surmount many of the barriers. Governments have their part to play in overcoming the belief that self-sufficiency is attainable by any great nation. While some rulers talk of the impossible, the men of commerce and industry of all countries are gradually but effectively restoring the flow of trade.

The Daily Press

HONG KONG, JUNE 17, 1937.

BRITAIN'S FOREIGN TRADE

Given freedom from serious labour troubles, each group of statistics in the most recent Board of Trade returns points to the probability of a continuous improvement in Britain's foreign commerce.

The fear that, in preoccupation with expanding business at home, manufacturers might neglect the more difficult foreign market is definitely dispelled.

In April, out of a total increase in British exports, as compared with April last year, of nearly \$10,000,000, the addition to sales of manufactured articles is \$7,348,000. That increase is spread over every classification of goods in the returns. It is most reassuring in iron and steel, with a gain of \$1,200,000, because the demand for steel at home is straining capacity for production. Equally satisfactory is the rise of \$1,252,000 in exports of cotton yarns and fabrics as indicating that Lancashire is pressing again into markets that seemed to be lost.

These are outstanding items, but the whole story of exports is one of a greater capacity of foreign markets to absorb British goods, even though prices are rising with the increased cost of

JAPAN REVIEW

New Treaty With Siam

It is said that negotiations are going on between Japan and Siam for the conclusion of a new Commercial Treaty. In November last, the Siamese Government notified the Japanese Government of its intention to abrogate the Japan-Siamese Commercial Treaty in force, which is thus to expire in November this year. This notice of abrogation was issued by the Siamese Government to the British, French and other Governments simultaneously.

The Japanese Government is sympathetically disposed towards Siam's desire to get rid of unequal treaties, which underlies her notice of abrogation, and ready to take the lead of the Powers similarly circumstanced in concluding a new Commercial Treaty with that country on an equal footing.

Mr. Mural, the new Minister to Siam, is leaving for his post shortly with the necessary instructions in this regard, and it is expected that on his arrival at his post, the negotiations for the conclusion of a new Commercial Treaty will make good headway.

Skilled Labour Shortage

At the Cabinet Council last week, Vice-Admiral Godo, Minister of Commerce and Industry, stressed the urgent need of establishing organs for the training of skilled labourers and indicated his intention to draw up a Bill in this regard for introduction in the forthcoming extraordinary session of the Diet. He said that for the expansion of productive power the present shortage of skilled labour must be made good speedily. As it is, he said, the limited number of skilled labourers are being put to work for long hours. Since this practice tends to sap the energy of these labourers, to reduce their efficiency and to deteriorate their physique, organs for the training of skilled labourers must be quickly established to make good the present shortage.

General Sugiyama, Minister for War, expressed entire agreement with Vice-Admiral Godo's views, which were also supported by Mr. Yuki, the Finance Minister, Mr. Kawarada, the Home Minister, and Mr. Yamazaki, Minister of Agriculture and Forestry.

It is expected that the authorities of the Departments of Commerce and Industry, Home Affairs, Education, War, the Navy and Overseas Affairs will meet shortly to discuss details of a plan to be framed in this connection. The Department of Commerce and Industry has for some time been pushing the necessary preparations.

The Communist Menace

Addressing the Conference of the Chiefs of Prefectural Police recently, Dr. Motoji, the Procurator-General, expressed deep regret that crimes have been committed often by so-called quasi-religious bodies in recent years, states the "Japan Chronicle." Some of these organizations have been guilty of "lese-majeste." By indulging in utterances subversive of the national polity, they have done much to demoralize the public mind and disturb social order. The Procurator-General asked the Police Chiefs to direct special attention to the control of such objectionable quasi-religious bodies.

Referring to the Communist movement in this country, the speaker said that the remnants of Japanese Communists have recently been resorting to tactics very different from those which they adopted formerly in the propagation of their dangerous ideas. Influenced by the new policy adopted at the Seventh Congress of the Comintern the year before last, they have been attempting to bring about the so-called Popular Front by rallying the various anti-nationalist forces. Stimulating a legitimate movement, they have been trying to disseminate their principles and ideas by literature, films, etc. As they are also assiduous in their efforts to form illegal groups of various kinds everywhere, the Procurator-General said, a vigilant eye must be kept on their doings.

Since the February 28th affair, the Procurator-General further said, the reformist nationalist movement has altered its past policy, and its leaders are now endeavouring to unify and expand the so-called nationalist front so to rally the masses around their banners. On the whole, this movement is proceeding along legitimate lines, but a section of extreme elements do not hesitate to make use of illegal means. Dr. Motoji called the attention of his hearers to the necessity of close vigilance and control over these elements also.

The Army's Uneasiness

According to the Japanese papers, the Army is evincing increasing uneasiness over the present unsettled and unclarified political situation. It has hitherto maintained a sympathetic attitude towards the Hayashi Cabinet in the belief that it will carry out the measures desired by the Army. The recent course of political events decidedly unfavourable for the Hayashi Cabinet is, however, causing the Army authorities to entertain much doubt as to whether the Government will be able to carry out such measures.

It is expected that General Sugiyama, Minister for War, who has just returned to Tokyo from his Kwansai tour, will visit General Hayashi, the Premier, shortly in order to ascertain whether the Premier is firmly determined to carry out his policy and whether he is convinced of his ability to pull his Government through the forthcoming session of the Diet. If the Premier fails to satisfy him on these points, it is said, the War Minister may advise him to surrender power.

The Army is particularly eager for the execution of a reform policy based mainly on the strengthening of defence and the expansion of productive power. In view of the prevailing international situation, and it is not quite satisfied with what the Hayashi Cabinet has hitherto done towards preparing the ground for the carrying out of such a policy. For, in its opinion, the Government has done little beyond creating the Planning Board and a few other Committees, and it is unknown when concrete measures of policy to meet the crying needs will be formulated. Even if these measures may be evolved by the time the extraordinary session of the Diet meets, it is open to grave doubt whether the Government will be able to put them through in the face of the growing hostility of the major parties.

The Army thinks that if Premier Hayashi is to face the forthcoming session of the Diet without strong convictions and resign on the introduction of a no-confidence vote, the execution of national policy will be interfered with very seriously. If, therefore, the Premier is really firmly determined to carry out his policy, he ought to shape his course in defiance of all opposition. Otherwise, it is better for him to quit office speedily, the Army contends.

Such being the present mood of the military authorities, the Japanese papers say, the anticipated interview between General Sugiyama, Minister for War, and General Hayashi, the Premier, is watched in political circles with much interest.

Japan Withdraws From I.T.F.

With the determination to conduct their organization "strictly according to the Japanese principle," the Japan Seamen's Union, which has a membership of 100,000 has decided to withdraw from the International Transport Federation which has its headquarters in Geneva, states the "Japan Chronicle."

The decision was formally reached recently. Prior to this—on May 7th when the last meeting of the Seamen's Union after the merger of the Old and New Seamen's Unions was held at the Union's headquarters in Kobe—Mr. Haruchi, president of the Union, and other leading officials of the Union proposed the withdrawal, as suggested by the military authorities and the Home and Communications Office, through Governor Okada of Hyogo prefecture and Mr. Fujiwara, director of the Osaka Communications Bureau, both mediators at the time of the merger of the two Seamen's Unions.

Though this proposal was opposed by a minority in the Union including Mr. Yonekubo, vice-president of the Union, and the director of the Far Eastern Business Bureau of the I.T.F., the suggestion was finally adopted by the majority and a resolution of withdrawal was unanimously passed. Immediately after this the Union renounced its membership fee for last year amounting to ¥4,577 to the I.T.F. headquarters in Geneva.

Fastest Locomotive In British Empire Named

London, June 16.

The fastest locomotive in the British Empire was named "Dominion of Canada" by Mr. Vincent Massey, High Commissioner for Canada, at King's Cross yesterday.

Built by the London North Eastern Railway at Doncaster it is the first of five engines which will, beginning on July 5, draw Coronation expresses between London and Edinburgh in six hours. It has a chiming whistle presented by the Canadian Pacific Railway of the type used on the Canadian Trans-Continental expresses. Four other engines to complete the class will leave the works within the next fortnight.—*British Wireless.*

Speedier Ships For Mercantile Marine

The Ships Replacement Committee, constituted under the Act which gave legislative sanction to what is known as the "scrap and build" scheme, issued their report recently.

The Committee say that they believe the scheme has fulfilled a useful purpose. Its success should not be judged merely by the fact that with the assistance afforded by the Act shipowners have been enabled to build 50 new ships. The vessels are of the most modern type, speedier and more economical to run than most of those now in commission.

To this extent the scheme has contributed to the modernisation of the British Mercantile Marine. Moreover, for every new ton that has been built under the scheme two tons have been taken off the water, and of this demolished tonnage nearly 150,000 tons were foreign.

Orders for the new ships came at an opportune moment—when shipbuilding was at a low ebb. They were specially valuable to shipbuilders for that reason—particularly to those specialising in the building of tramps.

The estimated cost of the fifty vessels was £3,664,360, and advances sanctioned in respect of their construction was £3,548,124.

The ports at which the new vessels have been or are being built are: Sunderland, Hebburn-on-Tyne, Wallsend-on-Tyne, Haverhill Hill-on-Tees, West Hartlepool, Glasgow, Port Glasgow, and Burntisland.

NEW FILM AGREEMENT

Prague, June 16.

The film negotiations which have been in progress between Germany and Czechoslovakia for months past have now reached their conclusion. An agreement has been set up according to which Czechoslovak films will be shown in Germany to the same extent and with the same advantages as German films are shown in Czechoslovakia.

The maximum Czechoslovak films to be shown in Germany per year has been fixed at 5, while for every German speaking film made at Prague and produced in Germany films will be shown in Czechoslovakia.—*Transoceanic News Service.*

FORTUNE GONE ABROAD

Paris, June 16.

Over 50,000,000 francs have gone abroad. We are faced with the same attacks as those which were directed against us in 1924, 1925 and 1936," said M. Vincent Auriol, French Finance Minister, in asking the Chamber of Deputies confidence in the Government's proposals to defend public credit.

M. Auriol, presenting the balance sheet for the first year of the Popular Front's term of office in Government, stated that revenue from taxation of industrial profits had risen from 695,000,000 francs to 863,000,000 francs, and that income tax had swelled from 845,000,000 to 1,334,000,000.—*Reuter.*

However, the Japanese press states, in consideration of the present delicate international situation, the Union will resort to withdrawal through non-payment of membership fees hereafter without sending any notice of withdrawal to the headquarters.

Just 13 years ago—in 1924—when the socialist labour movement was at its peak, the Japan Seamen's Union joined the I.T.F. which involves about 7,000,000 sea labourers of the main Powers of the world; and since then it has continued to send its membership fee to the headquarters in Geneva. However, it will be recalled that owing to the internal trouble in the Union and also to the growth of nationalist ideas, the leaders of the Union, including such men as Messrs. Akazaki, Fujiwara, Horiuchi and Yonekubo, found themselves in disagreement as a result of which the New Japan Seamen's Union was formed by the Akazaki and Fujiwara factions. The amalgamation of this new body with the Old Union was brought about last March through the efforts of the local Governor and the Chief of the Osaka Communications Bureau.

The decision to withdraw from the I.T.F. coming as it does so soon after the merger of the two Unions, is attracting the serious attention of all circles concerned.

Road Widening Involves Unique Landmark

Behind the matter-of-fact report of a Land Commission meeting appearing in the "Municipal Gazette" lies the history of one of Shanghai's most interesting landmarks, which is now to be removed.

The proceedings which appear under the simple heading "Race Course Road Widening" involve the Chen Chi Benevolent Institute, near the intersection of Yu Ya Ching Road, which has the famous "baby drawer" into which unwanted infants are placed by timid mothers who cannot afford to rear them. The Institute cares for hundreds of foundlings who are prepared for useful positions in life at the institution itself or are adopted by childless families through the efforts of the home.

Now that the land on which the Chen Chi Institute stands is needed for the widening of Race Course Road, the institution will have to remove elsewhere. The Land Commissioners have awarded \$22,000 as compensation for the surrendered area of mow 0.412, the amount being about \$7,000 less than the claim put forward by the Institute. An interesting landmark will pass, perhaps to be re-erected in another part of Shanghai.

WRITING SERMONS TO DANCE MUSIC

Rhythm Helps Radio Canon

A Canon who likes to prepare his sermons to the accompaniment of dance tunes has received a parting gift from his parishioners.

Canon Eric Southam, Vicar of All Saints', Southbourne, Bournemouth, who became Provost of Guildford Cathedral, was presented with £195 by his parishioners.

Acknowledging the cheque, he said he would spend part of the money on a wireless set for his study.

"I do like preparing sermons to the music of dance bands," he said. "I find the rhythm helps me. Mrs. Southam does not like dance bands; if I have my own wireless set I can take it to my own quarters."

Canon Southam, who has been ten years at All Saints', Bournemouth, is known to wireless listeners for his broadcast sermons.

His wife, who was formerly a well-known contralto singer, was presented by the parishioners with a lounge chair, a brooch, and a morning tea set.

HUNT CUP AT ASCOT

London, June 16.

The Hunt Cup run at Ascot to-day resulted as follows:—

1. Fair Play (100 to 6);
 2. Couvert (25 to 1);
 3. Pegasus.
- Won by a neck; a head. There were 33 starters.

Following some recent rain the going was excellent.—*Reuter.*

GERMAN MINISTER'S VISIT WELCOMED

Sudden Change Of Attitude

BLUM AND THE COMMUNISTS

Paris, June 16. Discussing the reasons which prompted the Communists' last-minute decision to vote in favour of the Finance Bill, political quarters here assert that the sudden change of attitude was due to the fact that Premier Blum gave the Communists a promise that the workers wages will be increased in fair proportion to the increase of indirect taxation.

It is also believed that M. Blum made certain political concessions to the Communists with regard to the Spanish conflict. Negotiations are now pending between the second and third Internationales and the French Confederation of Labour with a view to forming a solid pro-Red Spanish bloc desired by the Communists. It is stated in informed quarters.

Although it is uncertain whether or to what extent these plans are supported by the French Government where Socialist influence predominates or whether the French Government has actually given its binding assurances to the Communists, it is pointed out that the sudden change of attitude has resulted in financial, as well as political concessions being granted by the Government.

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THOROUGH STUDY OF SITUATION URGED

INCENTIVE FOR BEST EFFORTS

London, June 16. The announcement that the German Foreign Minister, Baron von Neurath, is to visit London on June 23, is prominently featured in the newspapers. The "Times" says that the news will be warmly and unreservedly welcomed. Baron von Neurath will not come, bringing proposals with him, nor will he find on this side a settled programme ready for discussion.

What is required before all is that a joint and thorough study of the difficulties and interests that concern both countries should now be competently, responsibly and quietly taken in hand. If the starting point be Spain, logic has demanded it, but events in Spain provide only the opening for the conversations which should travel much further.

For four years Anglo-German relations have been the target of long-range bombardment by Notes and declarations, set speeches and newspaper articles, and every month that passes has proved that open Covenants cannot be openly arrived at.

There is no lack of material, some of it stubborn material for host and guest to work upon, but there is no lack of incentive for their best endeavours and no lack of goodwill on this side to support the promising move that is already overdue.

British Wireless.

PRESS COMMENT

London:—Much interest is shown here in the announcement of the forthcoming visit of Baron von Neurath, and the necessity of personal conversations between the

German Minister and British statesmen is emphasised in political circles which point out that frequent opportunities were afforded for talks between British and French statesmen.

The "Daily Telegraph" recalls that it is 18 months since Baron von Neurath visited England and the paper goes on to say that the fact that the German Minister has just returned from a journey to Yugo-Slavia, Bulgaria and Hungary increases the interest with which British political circles look forward to the forthcoming visit.

The "Times" writes that British Government quarters believe that personal discussions with the German Minister on the Spanish situation will prove to be of the greatest value.

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Air Service To Continue

DECISION TAKEN BY OFFICIALS

Tientsin, June 16. A conference between the Chinese and Japanese directors of the Huitung Aviation Company and General Furusho, Aviation Director of the Tokyo War Office, is reported to have decided to continue the air service, with connection to Tokyo, pending any order to the contrary from the Hopen-Chanar Council with which the Company is registered.

The Company's officials contend that the air services were governed by the Tangku Pact under which China undertook to permit through mail, railway and air services.

Reuter.

RUN ON CHINA STATE BANK

Expected To Be Over Shortly

Canton, June 16. Although the run on the China State Bank to-day was not so heavy as yesterday, sufficient cash was available to-day to meet all creditors even those on fixed deposits.

Both the head office and branch office remained open this afternoon until 6 p.m. instead of 3 p.m. in order to enable creditors to withdraw their cash.

Mr. Lu Hin-ming, manager of the Bank, told newspapermen that Mr. Tsou Min-chu, the Chairman of the Board of Directors, had no control over the affairs of the Bank, which cannot be adversely affected by recent developments. He said the accounts and transactions of the Bank are open to public inspection.

Owing to misunderstanding, there has been a run on the bank since yesterday in consequence of the arrest of Mr. Tsou. It is expected that the run will be over very soon.

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AOYAMA CASE

Further Probe Unnecessary

Canton, June 16. The presence of Japanese destroyers in Swatow has nothing to do with the Kiyoshi Aoyama case, the Japanese Consul General, Mr. T. Nakamura, told Dr. Phillip K. C. Tsau, Special Delegate of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, who protested against the arrival of Japanese men-of-war without notification to the Chinese authorities.

Mr. Nakamura undertook to forward the protest to the Japanese Embassy with a view to recalling the warships, according to the "Central News Agency."

General Wu Te-chen, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, received the Japanese Consul General this morning in connection with the Aoyama case.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Nanking takes the position that the facts of the case were established by recent investigation of Chinese and Japanese officials and that a further probe would be unnecessary.

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DEPUTIES HAVE BUSY TIME

Division Of Opinion

Paris, June 15. The Chamber of Deputies re-assembled at midnight after the conclusion of the Finance Committee's examination of the Government's financial proposals. A critical situation is reflected in the division of opinion amongst members of the Committee, which voted by 22 to 16 to report favourably on the proposals.

Of six abstentions from voting five were Communists and the other a Radical Socialist.

Reuter.

SPECIAL POWERS BILL

Paris, June 15. The Chamber was packed just after midnight for the debate on the Government's special powers Bill, M. Schmidt moving its adoption on behalf of the Finance Committee.

The Communists, after a midnight meeting, declared their continued opposition to the indirect taxation proposals and the Government's fall is believed to be inevitable. For even if M. Blum gets a majority, its slenderness will preclude his retention of office on such an important issue.

Reuter.

COMMUNISTS ABSTAIN?

Paris, June 15. It is generally believed that the Communist group will abstain from voting on the Government's Financial Bill unless the Government changes its attitude.

The abstention of the Communists will probably lead to the Government's resignation, as the Communists are still opposed to indirect taxation, but are prepared to offer collaboration in government on a wider basis which would strictly apply to the Popular Front programme.

Reuter.

GERMAN FLAG RETURNED

Fine Gesture By Sir Claud Hollis

London, June 16. Sir Claud Hollis visited the German Embassy here and handed to the Ambassador, Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, the flag that had flown in 1916 above the German Government building in Tanga, German East Africa.

Originally the flag had been given to Sir Claud by a non-commissioned officer of the South African Army. Herr von Ribbentrop accepted the flag and expressed the thanks of the German Government.

The simple ceremony was carried out at the instance of the Anglo-German Fellowship, whose President, Lord Mount Temple, was also present.

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Clash Between Mohammedan Forces And Chinese Troops

Peiping, June 16. Disturbances are reported to have broken out in Sinkiang province following a clash between Mohammedan forces and the Chinese troops commanded by General Sheng Shih-tsai. Local Chinese declare that the outbreak is the result of prolonged differences between the two forces over control of the frontier province.

The long-distance bus service between Kweihwa and Urumchi has been suddenly disrupted, apparently as the result of the military operations. This line passes through Hami, in eastern Sinkiang, which is reported to be the centre of disorders.

Mohammedan forces stationed at Hami are reported to have started an advance on Urumchi, the capital of the province, last week. Contact was established with the Chinese troops over the

week-end and armed conflict resulted.

Details of the situation have not yet been ascertained here. General Sheng and his faction controlling the provincial government are known to have long been closely associated with radical figures. Consequently the belief is expressed that the disorder might have been inspired by outside influences.

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FROM THE SPANISH FRONT

London, June 15. The British Government have now transmitted to the two parties in Spain a communication agreed upon at the week-end by the Foreign Secretary and the French, German and Italian Ambassadors.

The text is as follows: "First, that the two parties should be asked to give a specific assurance that they will respect foreign warships on the high seas and elsewhere, and will take steps to see that their naval and air forces give effect to this assurance. "Secondly, that in order to avoid accidental attacks on, or damage to, foreign warships participating in the patrol when lying in the ports of either party, the two



General Franco

parties should be asked to come to an agreement with the four Powers upon the list of Spanish ports to be made available for use as bases for their patrol ships, and upon the definition of safety zones which should be established in those ports.

"Thirdly, that the two parties should be informed of any infraction of the aforesaid assurances, or any attack upon foreign warships responsible for naval patrol will be regarded by the four Powers participating in the control as a matter of common concern, and that the four Powers, irrespective of any immediate measures of self-defence considered necessary by the forces of the Power actually attacked, will immediately seek agreement among themselves concerning the steps to be taken in concert, taking into consideration the views which the Government concerned is naturally entitled to express as to further appropriate measures."

CAPTURE WITHIN 24 HOURS? Lisbon, June 15.

General Franco expects the complete capture of Bilbao within 24 hours, states a broadcast from Salamanca.

The broadcast adds that the Civil Governor of San Sebastian has been ordered to Bilbao to reorganise the civil life of that city.

BASQUE PRESIDENT'S APPEAL

London, June 15. A copy of the Basque President's appeal to Mr. Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, to prevent the destruction of the centre of Bilbao before the civilians have been evacuated, has been sent to General Francisco Franco, Insurgent Command-in-Chief, with the expression of the British Government's hopes that the threat will not be put into execution.

Reuter.

MANY CAPTURED

London, June 15. The Spanish Insurgents have captured 5,000 Basque prisoners since entering the "Iron Ring," according to a message from Vitoria.

Reuter.

INTENSE AERIAL BOMBARDMENT

Hendaye, June 16. A Salamanca communique admits the descent by Insurgent troops into Bilbao was not practicable whilst the Basque troops still occupy heights to the south-west of the city and these to-day were subjected to intense aerial bombardment.

Reuter.

ELECTION CAMPAIGNS

London, June 16. The result of another of the series of by-elections was announced late last night when it became known that Colonel Guest (National Conservative) brother of the late Conservative member for the Drake Division of Plymouth had retained seat with 15,778 votes against the Labour opponent, Mr. G. T. Garratt who polled 11,044.

Election campaigns are proceeding in nine other Parliamentary constituencies.

British Wireless.

DANISH MINISTER TO RETIRE

COUNT AHLEFELDT LAURVIG

London, June 16. The coming retirement at the end of the year of the Danish Minister in London, Count Ahlefeldt Laurvig was referred to at a dinner last night of the Anglo-Danish Society attended by Princess Helena Victoria and Princess Marie Louise.

The Danish Minister, who said it was with great regret that he would be severing his connexion with London, remarked that an ancestor of his had signed the first treaty between England and Denmark in 1581 and it had lasted 300 years.

"We Danes look to the British King and nation as defenders of freedom and parliamentarism and perusal of Danish newspapers during the Coronation showed that that English and Danish press took the same interest in that marvellous occasion," he added.

British Wireless.

HAI LEE STRIKES SUBMERGED ROCK

Passengers Taken Off

Shanghai, June 16. About 300 passengers who were taken off from the China Merchant's vessel Hai Lee by the Hai Ching and Hai An off the coast of Chekiang arrived here yesterday. These passengers booked on the Hai Lee for Canton and Hong Kong.

The ill-fated steamer, one of the four new vessels built in England, struck a submerged rock near Hangchow Bay, as she was reported to be steaming not far out enough from the coast. The parts stove in are temporarily filled, and the Hai Lee is expected to proceed here on June 18 under her own steam for repairs.

Union News.

London Foreign Exchange Circles Regard Franc Position Precarious

London, June 16. "A still precarious condition" was this morning's opinion of those connected with the foreign exchange market regarding the franc. Immediately after the opening, dealings began to be nervous and bear speculators, intimidated by M. Leon Blum's majority Chamber, rushed to cover the open positions, forcing down spot franc to 110.71.

The rally, however, was short-lived and with the trend swinging completely round the French authorities were again forced to intervene on a heavyish scale to support their currency.

While earnestly desirous of witnessing a long overdue improvement in the French financial situation, London financial circles are pessimistic regarding M. Blum's chances of achieving this end, pointing out that first and foremost the French Premier must have confidence in his capitalist countrymen. The continued weakening of franc for forward delivery, however, which is at present quoted at 114 for one month and 117 for three months indicates that the capitalists are far from showing returning confidence and are still retreating.

Reuter.

DERBYSHIRE BEAT KENT

Wickets Fall At Derby

There was a crowded day's cricket at Derby in the match between Derbyshire and Kent, and at the end of it Derbyshire had won by 82 runs, states the "Times." Twenty-six wickets fell during the day, and Kent who were sent in with 229 runs to make in order to win, had the curious experience of having at one time 102 runs on the board with no wicket down and then being all out for 143. There were some impressive bowling analyses, but so much happened that they must be left to speak for themselves.

There is more than a suggestion of battling frailty about a Kent side deprived of the services of Ames and Todd, and they only succeeded in raising their overnight score of 62 runs for four wickets to the not impressive total of 100. Wright can claim that he was out to an almost unfairly good catch, low down and wide at first slip, by Smith, but for the most part it was a question of indifferent batting against efficient fast bowling on the part of Rhodes, Copson, and Pope. The pitch was not difficult in the conventional sense, but the ball was coming off at varying heights, and the batsman could never take anything for granted.

DISASTROUS TIME

Derbyshire had an even more disastrous time when they went in, and their first three wickets fell for eight runs. Smith could not get out of the way of a ball from Cole, which rose up at him, and he was caught at first slip. Worthington was also the victim of a slip catch, and Alderman, suddenly impatient, jumped into Cole, mistimed his stroke, and lifted the ball to extra cover point. C. Elliott and Townsend brought the score up to 19 by lunch, but afterwards the Kent attack, in the persons of Watt and Cole, kept its edge and temper and wickets continued to fall.

At 28 Elliott was mysteriously caught at the wicket—exactly how it happened was obscure—and the next ball kept low and left Pope with no strokes to play. One run later Townsend, in playing forward to Watt, was most brilliantly stumped by W. H. V. Levett, whose wicket-keeping has been one of the most attractive features of the match. That meant that six wickets were down for 27 runs. Watt looked extremely formidable, with the help of a strong

cross-wind he made the ball swing abruptly away towards his slips, and with the variations supplied by the vagaries of the pitch and his own break-back, the batsmen had an uncomfortable time of it. H. Elliott and Rhodes, however, did manage to make a stand. Elliott sent to fine-leg what was meant for mid-off, but he scored four runs from the peculiar stroke and followed it up with a more orthodox boundary to square-leg off a full-pitch from Watt. When he was 11 he gave a chance to third slip off Cole, and although the mistake was not expensive the partnership put on 37 runs and kept the issue open.

A GOOD CATCH

Rhodes was out to a good catch close in at mid-wicket by Spencer, and four runs later, at 68, Elliott got a leg-break from Wright, who had come on for Cole at the town end, on the edge of his bat and Woolley took the catch at first slip. Both R. H. R. Buxton and Mitchell hit two 4's, but there was no real recovery and the total was only 88.

When the last wicket fell, Kent were left with 228 runs to make in order to win, and anything could happen. Actually the first thing that happened was that Sunnicks was hit high up on the chest by a rising ball from Copson and carried off the field. Ashdown and Woolley then proceeded to build the foundations of a stand which, before long, promised a victory which had seemed impossible, at the start of the innings. At times they were not altogether sure of themselves, but they produced some lovely strokes in between times, as it were, and at tea-time the score was 62.

Ashdown's 50 and the hundred were safely reached, and then at 102 Woolley went out to drive Pope. The ball went away, Woolley touched it, and Smith, at first slip, did the rest. This started the collapse which was so calamitous that by the time the total had reached 122 six wickets were down. Pope had a great deal to do with it, and when he shot Ashdown's off-stump out of the ground Kent must have felt defeat hovering over them. Ten runs were added by a recovered Sunnicks and Wright, and then Copson, who had come on for Pope, produced a lovely break-back which hit Wright's off-stump, and the next ball bowled Watt. The end came at 6.50.

LAWN BOWLS

Kowloon Tong Club Team For Saturday

The following have been selected to play for Kowloon Tong Club in their League Match on Saturday against the H.K. Electric R.C. at Kowloon Tong Club green:—
G. Mose, T. N. Wong, W. I. Howard, A. H. Basto (Skip).

HOME CRICKET RESULTS

London, June 16.
At Manchester, Lancashire beat Somerset on the first innings.
Lancashire—338 for 7 dec. (Watson 134) and 149 for 7 dec.
Somerset—265 (Andrews 80) and 131 for 3.—*Reuter*

H. Gittins, T. K. Lim, Dr. Asgar, S. J. Houghton (Skip).
J. L. Stephens, H. Y. Hsu, A. Spary, B. Basto (Skip).

Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY

Bridge.—Cheero Club Contract Bridge, 8 p.m.
Hockey.—Hong Kong Hockey Association Meeting (St. Andrew's Church Hall), 6 p.m.
Tennis.—"C" Division League: Army T.C. v. Craigengower C.C. Chinese R.C. (1) v. Chinese R.C. (2); Kowloon Tong v. South China A.A. Indian R.C. v. Kowloon C.C. Club de Rekrelo v. Radio Sports Club.

TO-MORROW

Bowls.—Competition Sub-Committee Meeting, 5.30 p.m.
Boxing.—Po Hing Theatre, 9 p.m.
Bridge.—Cheero Club Duplicate Contract Bridge, 8 p.m.
Tennis.—"D" Division League: Army T.C. v. South China A.A. Chinese R.C. v. Kowloon C.C. Police R.C. v. Kowloon C.C. Kowloon Indian T.C. v. Central British Association; Indian R.C. v. Club de Rekrelo.

SATURDAY, JUNE 19
Bowls.—First Division: Kowloon C.C. v. Craigengower C.C. Civil Service C.C. v. Club de Rekrelo; Hong Kong F.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C. Police R.C. v. Kowloon Dock's; Second Division: Craigengower C.C. v. Kowloon C.C. Kowloon B.G.C. v. Hong Kong F.C. Police R.C. v. Club de Rekrelo; Indian R.C. v. Tai-koo R.C.; Third Division: Kowloon F.C. v. Civil Service C.C. Craigengower C.C. v. Yacht Club, Kowloon.

Tong R.C. v. Hong Kong Electric R.C. Club de Rekrelo v. Hong Kong F.C.

SUNDAY, JUNE 20

Baseball.—Hongkong League: Hong Kong Chinese v. Nippon Club (Caroline Hill), 10 a.m., Friendly; Hong Kong Chinese v. Lingnan University (Caroline Hill), 11.30 a.m.
Bowls.—Open Rinks (Second Round): G. H. Sheriff's rink v. A. R. Dallah's rink; F. H. W. Haynes' rink v. J. M. Jack's rink (Kowloon Dock); W. Gill's rink v. A. M. Holland's rink; F. X. M. da Silva's rink v. U. M. Omar's rink (Kowloon R.C.); J. G. Meyer's rink v. R. O. Reed's rink; A. Hyde-Lay's rink v. M. R. Abbas's rink (Club de Rekrelo); P. Nolan's rink v. R. F. Luz's rink (Indian R.C.); J. J. Basto's rink v. J. K. Sloan's rink; A. Brooksbank's rink v. J. Orem's rink (Craigengower C.C.); B. W. Bradbury's rink v. F. Cullen's rink; V. N. Allen's rink v. A. E. Carey's rink (Civil Service C.C.); T. F. Stainton's rink v. J. S. Riddell's rink; C. S. Rosset's rink v. T. Armstrong's rink (Hong Kong F.C.); H. A. Alves's rink v. A. R. Minus's rink; B. Basto's rink v. L. A. Gutierrez's rink (Kowloon B.G.C.); A. Macfarlane's rink v. J. C. Brown's rink (Tai-koo R.C.).
Cycling.—Hongkong Cycling Club's Weekly run (Alhambra Theatre), 10 a.m.

LEAGUE TENNIS RESULTS

Easy Win For C.C.C.

In the "B" Division of the Hong Kong Tennis League yesterday, Craigengower C.C. beat the University by eight sets to one. Scores:—
R. Choa and F. Zimmermann (C.C.C.)—beat M. C. Hung and Y. N. Tan 6-6; beat G. Chang and H. H. Li 6-2; beat S. S. Chin and K. S. Cheng 6-1.

G. Choa and J. W. Leonard (C.C.C.)—beat Hung and Tan 6-6; beat Chang and Li 6-2; beat Chin and Cheng 6-2.
W. J. Howard and G. Lal (C.C.C.)—beat Hung and Tan 6-3; beat Chang and Li 6-4; beat China and Cheng 6-2.

KOWLOON C.C. WIN

Playing on the home ground yesterday, the Kowloon Cricket Club beat the Hong Kong Cricket Club by 64 sets to 24.

Scores:—
D. J. N. Anderson and F. Grose (K.C.C.) beat F. A. Redmond and B. D. Evans 6-1; beat V. R. Gordon and T. C. Monaghan 6-3; lost to J. Rodger and B. O'M. Deane 2-6.
G. C. Burnett and G. E. Clarke beat Redmond and Evans 6-1; beat Rodger and B. O'M. Deane 6-2; beat Gordon and Monaghan 6-3.
A. W. Ramsey and C. E. Watson beat Gordon and Monaghan 6-3; drew with Redmond and Evans 6-6; lost to Rodger and Deane 4-6.

INDIANS LOSE

The South China Athletic Association defeated the K.I.T.C. by 64 sets to 24 at King's Park.

Scores:—
N. K. Ma and K. H. Lee (S.C.A.A.) beat S. S. Hussain and I. M. Singh 6-2; beat M. A. Khan and F. Khan 6-1; lost to S. A. Hussain and S. R. Salleh 5-7.
H. T. Bee and H. Y. Kho beat Hussain and Singh 6-4; beat Hussain and Salleh 6-4; lost to Khan and Khan 5-7.
C. L. Lau and T. K. Leung beat Hussain and Singh 7-5; beat Khan and Khan 6-0; drew with Hussain and Salleh 6-6.

RECREIO'S EASY WIN

The Club de Recreio defeated the Civil Service Cricket Club by 8 sets to one at King's Park.

Scores:—
M. A. Oliveira and L. A. Carvalho beat B. Agafuroff and I. Agafuroff 6-3; beat J. Sloan and L. Carver 6-2; lost to J. Pengelly and F. Bradley 4-6.
J. Remedios and L. Silva beat Agafuroff and Agafuroff 6-4; beat Sloan and Carver 6-4.
B. Gosano and A. M. Rodrigues beat Pengelly and F. Bradley 6-3; beat Agafuroff and Agafuroff 6-2; beat Sloan and Carver 6-1.

GIRL'S ROLE IN MURDER

Complete Admission Of Aid Given Mother In Killing

A complete admission of the role she played in the murder of her brother, Mitsugu Tokuda, a student of Nippon University, Tokyo, was made by Eiko Tokuda, charged with homicide and attempted fraud together with her parents, when the hearing was resumed at the Tokyo Court recently, states the "Japan Chronicle."

Miss Tokuda, however, denied the allegation that the murder was perpetrated in an attempt to defraud insurance companies, although the family took out policies for ¥60,000 shortly before the incident.
Questioned, the accused said that her brother was a bright, youth. She loved him very much, but as he grew up his personality underwent a marked change, and as she eventually found his behaviour unbearable, she wrote to her parents then in Karafuto, asking them to come up to Tokyo. She continued:
"About July 1935 mother told me that she was going to kill Mitsugu. I was so frightened, and asked her to give up the plan, but she said that it was the only way to save the family. Finally I agreed to assist her in the act."

ARSENIC IN BEEF

The Judge: "Were you aware that your parents had taken out insurance policies totalling ¥60,000? The accused: "Yes, I knew it. But I don't believe that my parents' motive in ending his life

DERBY FORM UPSET

Sandsprite And Le Grand Duc Fail

London, June 15.

Dull weather and showers of rain conspired to spoil Ascot's splendour to-day. Nevertheless when Their Majesties the King and Queen drove around the course in an open carriage, they were given a tremendous reception.

Derby form was upset when Sandsprite and Le Grand Duc failed in their races, but punters were sent home very happy as four favourites and two second favourites were among the winners.

The Aga Khan scored a double, his 20 to 1 outsider, Queen Silvia, winning the Queen Mary Stakes, and Mizra, starting at 4 to 11 winning the Coventry Stakes. Sir Abe Bailey also had a double success, his Gold Scent at 9 to 2 scoring over Sandsprite by a short head in the Prince of Wales Stakes, and his Valerian, a 5 to 1 favourite, taking the preliminary race, the Ascot Stakes.

Tempest, owned by the American, Mr. Kingsley Macomber, priced at 3 to 1, beat Draytona, a 5 to 2 favourite by a short head in the Queen Anne Stakes. Mr. Gordon Smith's Fearless Fox, a 11 to 8 favourite won the Ascot Vase, and Mr. Marcel Boussac's French-bred Goya II, starting a 9 to 4 favourite, won the St. James' Palace Stakes.—*Reuter*

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong Radio Station on June 16:—

Kalapi, Dashing, Felix Roussel, Tjkarang, Yunnan, Newchwang, Saito Maru, Rosalia Moller, City of Wellington, Tai-koo, Haguro Maru, Yendai Maru, Tung Cheng, Turco, Kaitangata, Tatsuta Maru, President Wilson, Corfu, President Hoover and Varanger.

VITAL LINK OF EMPIRE

Two Dominion Premiers, Mr. J. A. Lyons (Australia) and Mr. M. J. Savage (New Zealand), saw television for the first time, and were much impressed, writes a Home correspondent.

"This," they told me, in almost the same words, "is bound to become a vital new link of the Empire."
"Wonderful!" said Mr. Lyons. "It is much more marvellous, and much better than I had imagined it could be."

Mr. Savage said: "It is most impressive. What we have seen to-day will no doubt be developed on a larger scale."
The Premiers were among the guests at a luncheon given by the Government at the General Post Office to Imperial Conference delegates and officials of Overseas Government services.

EXAMPLE FOR THE WORLD
The talk was all about the speed with which science is binding the Empire ever more closely together. Major G. C. Tryon, Postmaster-General, touched on radio-telephony to the Dominions, India, and Ceylon, the projected Empire air mail scheme, and the experimental flights across the Atlantic to be made this year.

Applause greeted his statement that the British Empire, with a quarter of the world's inhabitants living at peace among themselves, could set an example to the world in international relations.

was to obtain the insurance money." Questioned whether she put arsenic in a beef croquette served to Mitsugu, the prisoner replied "yes" in contradistinction to her parents' statement that the poison was used for the purpose of killing him.
Continuing, the girl told the Court that as Mitsugu refused to eat the croquette, the first attempt ended in failure. They waited for another chance, and in October, 1935, they put arsenic in his rice, but this too failed, as the dose proved inadequate. Ten days later they poisoned his rice again, with the result that Mitsugu was taken ill.

REGISTRAR HAS A BUSY AFTERNOON

THREE WEDDING CEREMONIES

Three weddings took place at the Registry of Marriages, Supreme Court, yesterday afternoon, at all of Mr. W. Aneurin Jones, Deputy Registrar of Marriages, officiated.

The first took place between Mr. Ko Ming-tak, clerk of Messrs. Wallace Harper and Co., Ltd., and of No. 538 Nathan road, first floor, son of the late Mr. Ko Kong-woh, and Miss Ko Kam-yui, clerk, of Chee Hing and Co., and of No. 206 Fa Yuen Street, first floor, daughter of Mr. Koo Yin-san, merchant, in the presence of Miss Sung Siu-yan and Mrs. Yuen Sau-hing, mother of the bride.

The second wedding was that between Mr. Sung Siu-leong, clerk of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, and of No. 13 Cedar Street, second floor, son of Mr. Sung (or Soong), Chong Foh, civil servant, North Borneo, and Miss Koo Kam-wan, of No. 206 Fa Yuen Street, first floor, daughter of Mr. Koo Yin-san, merchant. The witnesses were Miss Sung Siu-yan and Mrs. Yuen Sau-hing, the bride's mother.

The third took place between Mr. Tan Eng-gwan, mercantile assistant, of No. 82 Cheung Sha Wan Road, son of the late Mr. Tan Teong-sin, and Miss Lim Ye-ching of No. 84 Cheung Sha Wan Road, daughter of the late Lim Poh-on, in the presence of Messrs. C. B. Chan and Lam Kam.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The forthcoming weddings are announced:—
Lai Chee-kuang, bachelor, of No. 239 Cheung Sha Wan Road, first floor, and Miss Ng Kit-ping, spinster, of No. 23 Shek Kip Mei Street, third floor.
James Dang, bachelor, of No. 23 Caroline Hill Road, ground floor, and Miss Alice Wong (Wong Mou-fung), spinster, of the same address.

CHANGED HIS MIND

When charged with the possession of 81,240 heroin pills and half an ounce of crude heroin on the first floor of No. 72 Cheung Sha Wan Road on May 19 before the Chief Justice, Sir Athol MacGregor, at the Criminal Sessions yesterday morning, Chan Tim, aged 68, said, "To plead guilty or not guilty is immaterial to me, because I am so old now and cannot find a living."

His Lordship took that statement as a plea of not guilty, but when the jury was about to be empanelled, prisoner admitted his guilt.
When he was sentenced to three years hard labour, accused said that the sentence was too heavy.

THE SWATOW AFFAIR

Canton, June 16.
Negotiations in connection with the Swatow affair have been transferred to Canton, and it is reported that the Japanese Consul-General will call on Civil Governor Wu Teh-chen at 9 a.m. this morning.
It is hoped that the discussions will result in a settlement, satisfactory to all concerned.—*Chinese Evening Press.*

MAY BE MOTHER AT 86

An 86-year-old Korean woman, Sal Shunjo, of Kantonmen in Zenra Nampo, Korea, is reported to be about to have a baby, states the "Japan Chronicle."

Twenty years ago, she lost her husband and has remained single since then, but last spring, she found a lover in the person of Shin Nanshaku (83). Later she detected symptoms indicating that she is in the family way, and consulted a doctor who told her that she was already four months gone with child.

Regarding this story, Professor Yoshimatsu, of the Obstetrics and Gynaecology Department of Osaka Imperial University told reporters, "If it is a fact, it is a very remarkable phenomenon. According to statistics, Japanese women generally cease ovulation between the age of 47 and 50."

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U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

Chicago Forges Ahead

New York, June 15
Chicago gained in the National League race to-day, while New York slipped. The Cubs won against Boston, five to four, on 11 hits to four. Hartnett hit a home run for the winners.

Pittsburgh, meanwhile, was beating New York, seven to five. The Pirates hit 14 times to the Giants' ten, but their victory was marred by three errors. Ott homered for the Giants, Suhr for the Pirates.

Cincinnati defeated Brooklyn four to three, nine hits to four. St. Louis piled up 13 runs on 14 hits against Philadelphia's meagre four on 11.

Routing of New York shut out Cleveland, allowing only four hits, while his mates hit seven to score three.

St. Louis beat Philadelphia, five to one. Boston defeated Chicago by the same score.

Washington, after fifteen innings, scored three runs in quick succession to beat Detroit, eight to five.—
Reuter.

TOMMY FARR BEATS NEUSEL BY K.O. ROUTE

London, June 15.
Tommy Farr, young Welsh hope for the heavyweight championship of the world, whipped Walter Neusel, Germany's blond second-best, after Max Schmeling, in the third round of their fight at Harringay Arena to-night. He knocked the German out.

Twelve thousand watched the Welshman administer a scientific beating to his opponent, whose grit and ability have made him popular in British rings.

Farr weighed 14 stone 7-3/4 pounds, Neusel 14 stone 8 pounds. Farr's victory proved that his win over the American ex-world champion, Max Baer, was no fluke. And he avenged the defeat of Petersen and Foord at the hands of Neusel.

The first two rounds were slow. Farr scoring with his left hand, using a long, piston-like straight-arm to the head and face. Neusel came under Farr's gloves and tried to wear his opponent down by infighting, punishing him about the mid-section. Farr boxed.

In the third round Farr opened with a long left to the face, and Neusel again attempted to come to close quarters where he could jab

and absorb the Welshman's punches on his tough body. He did not like Farr's left.

Farr jabbed with his left, then suddenly waded in and shook the German with a powerful left to the heart. His right came across like a ram, and Neusel went down from the impact of the finishing blow to the head.

Neusel sat up at the count of four and appeared to be resting. But he was out. He rose unsteadily after ten had been counted.

It is understood Neusel had cartilage trouble with his right leg.

Farr now has excellent prospects of a fight with Schmeling for a world-title elimination contest.

If he can beat Max, another ex-world champion and the conqueror of Detroit's Joe Louis, he stands a splendid chance of fighting a world championship bout with the winner of the Louis-Braddock fight in Chicago, June 22. And a victory over Schmeling would make Farr a favourite in a battle with either of the chief American contenders.—
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Amateur Golf Championship

The weather was still hotter and fiercer for the second day at Sandwich, and thus the greens were gradually getting a little faster, writes a Home correspondent. Everything was so lovely that the crest of the Maiden induced a lotus-eating frame of mind, and it was terribly hard to move. Fortunately for the idle, nothing desperately exciting happened for a long time. Stowe played very fine golf against J. H. Thompson, but won all too easily, and A. R. Aitken, whom I first saw in his first championship match against Freddie Tait in 1899, gallantly took Bourn to the last hole.

The first real thing to happen was the defeat of D. H. R. Martin by R. B. Foster by 3 and 1. Foster is a resolute and successful player, but his achievement was not this time as good as it sounds, for Martin's play was not far from deplorable. Here was a golfer who in difficult and unpleasant conditions had compassed two rounds of Sandwich in an average of 4's. Now, in incomparably easier conditions, he was about two under an average of 5's for 17 holes. From the first he seemed utterly unable to settle down. One queer thing he did. He got a "sucker" on the third green from his tee shot. He removed a large portion of the green with a most skilful niblick and holed his 8th putt for a 3.

A CHANCE MISSED

Otherwise Martin could do little that was right, and Foster, pegging away steadily but not in the least brilliantly, was out in 37 and three up. Then he in turn lapsed and was pulled down to one, but now, when his chance had come, Martin refused to take it, was all abroad at the 13th, and sliced out of bounds at the Canal. Ultimately Foster was downy three, and then he played some ping-pong across the 16th green. Martin won that hole, and the last two long holes might have saved his neck for him, but he drove over extra cover's head into uncharted prairies, and that was the end of a fine golfer and sad business. "Who would not laugh, if such a man there be, who would not weep if Atticus were he."

There followed several mildly interesting games. Major Aitken just beat Carlhian, who has been French champion and plays astonishingly well with a damaged left arm. R. Sweeney beat H. G. Bentley at the 17th, but the golf was hardly worthy of the men of the occasion.

The genuine thrill of the day came with that excellent American golfer R. H. Chapman and the infant prodigy from Ireland, J. Bruen. The play going out was interesting rather than good, and Bruen turned one up in 37 against 38. Chapman had holed some good putts and missed some short ones. Bruen had looked, as he undoubtedly is, a good golfer, but he made more mistakes than in his medal rounds. Chapman won the 10th with a beautiful second, and got two hard holes in 4 at the 11th and 12th. At both holes Bruen was faultless, while Chapman made recoveries from the hay-fields of which only a strong man was capable. At the 13th Chapman, after a curious flourish of his putter, which is an imita-

tion and exaggeration of Walter Hagen, holed a very long putt to be one up.

At the 14th there arose a question as to casual water, in which Chapman was entirely right and his adversary acting wrong. The hole was halved in 5 leaving Chapman still one up. Bruen played the 15th perfectly to square. Chapman came back at him by holing a putt for a 2 at the 16th. Bruen was in trouble at the 17th, and Chapman, with a fine 4, won the hole and the match amid cheers which left no doubt of the gallery's feelings. Bruen has learned to play golf extraordinarily well at an early age. If I may pass him a friendly hint he should now learn not to argue about the rules, which he does not know, with his elders, who do.

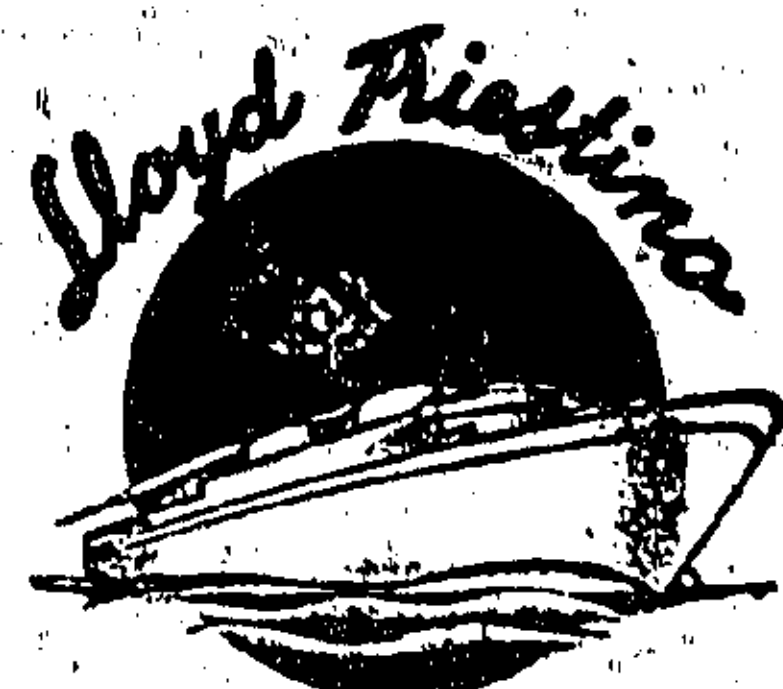
LEVINSON'S PROGRESS

Levinson beat Timmis by four and two and advanced another step on a round which might easily end in the final. His golf out was better than perfect, as these figures show:—4, 3, 3, 4, 4, 3, 4, 2, 4. And though he, of course, putted well, he was not doing anything demoniacal. Timmis, hanging on as best he could, was out in 36 and four down, a depressing state of things. Coming home Levinson weakened a little, lost a ball off a hooked shot, and was generally more unreliable. He was pulled down to two with four to go, won the 15th in a nice 4, and got the better of a rather poorly played 16th. It was comforting to see him more human on the way home, for he was certainly inhuman going out.

One of the last matches of the day took the biggest gallery, that between Tolley and the Hon. Michael Scott. It was full of good golf, if rather topsy-turvy golf, and it had a tragic-comical ending to which I will come in due course. The golf was topsy-turvy because it was Scott who won the longer holes and Tolley the shorter ones, whereas everyone had expected Tolley's length to tell at the long holes. Tolley took the lead at the third, lost the fourth, that would seem made for him, Scott playing it admirably in 4. Tolley had a 2 at the Malden to be one up again, and a beautiful 3 at the ninth. So he was out in 35 and two up.

Scott won the 10th, but took 5's at the 11th and 12th, essentially holes to suit him. An insistent photographer had something to do with one of them, perhaps. At any rate he lost both, was three down with a string of long holes coming. He won the 13th in 4, but sliced out of bounds at the Canal, a thing which he declares—and I can well believe in—he has never done since the War. Again three down, he got his 4 with a pitch and a putt at the 15th, and had a gallant 2 at the 16th.

And now comes the absurd ending. Both played bad seconds at the 17th. In the end Tolley was dead in 4 and Scott had a putt of perhaps 12ft. to halve. To the general consternation he picked up his ball. It then appeared that he had played the hole under the impression that he was two down instead of one down. Concentration is a virtue, but it really can be overdone.



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The price for Ready Silver dropped yesterday to the extent of 1/8 and Forward 1/16, the quotations being 19 7/8 and 19 15/16 respectively. Silver advices reported India as having sold. America bought. The market closed steady. After the official fixing India was a seller and business was done with America at 1/16 under the quoted rate. The market was inclined to easiness. American Silver was quoted at 44 3/4 for Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 494. New York-London was also quoted at 494.

MARKET

Steady but very dull.

STERLING

No business was reported. There were sellers at 1/2 25/32 for near and forward, buyers at 1/2 13/16 for any delivery.

U.S. DOLLARS

Nothing doing. There were sellers at 30 3/8 June-September and 30 5/16 October-December, buyers at 30 1/2 Cash, 30 7/16 July-November and 30 3/8 December.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS

Business was done at 102 1/4 for cash. There were sellers at 102 1/4, buyers at 102 5/16 for cash.

SHANGHAI MARKET

Opened with sellers at 1/2 7/16, buyers bidding 1/2 29/64 leading to business later at 1/2 29/64 for near delivery. U.S. Dollars opened with sellers at 29 23/32, buyers at 29 3/4 with business done later at 29 3/4 Spot. Steady.

LOCAL ESTATES

The late Chan Jing, alias Chan Sing Quan (or Kwong) merchant, who died intestate at the age of 46 on March 5, 1937 at No. 65 Ki Lung Street, first floor, Sham Shui Po, left local estate sworn under \$7,000. A petition by Chan Luk Shi, the lawful widow, for grant of letters of administration to the estate of the deceased has been granted by the Supreme Court.

Local estate sworn under \$1,700 was left by the late Kwan Kwong Lun, alias Kwan Lun, leather merchant, who died intestate at the age of 41 at Kut Lee Village in the District of Nam Hai in the Province of Kwangtung on August 4, 1926. A petition by Kwan Hin Mo, the natural and lawful son, and clerk of No. 238 Ho Pon Street, Canton, temporarily residing at No. 158 Des Voeux Road West, for grant of letters of administration to the estate of the deceased, has been granted.

Edith Jamieson, spinster, late of No. 56 Princess's Square, London W.2, who died at No. 52 Grange Park Ealing in the County of Middlesex, England, on February 2, 1937, left local estate to the value of \$700. A petition by George Gwynnett Noble Tinson, solicitor, the lawful attorney, for sealing certified copy of probate of the will of the deceased has been granted.

Local estate to the value of \$900 was left by the late Lee Fong, alias Francisco Lee, retired grocer, late of No. 16 Dias Miron West, Tampico, Tamps, Mexico, who died intestate at the age of 64 on or about April 23, 1937 on board the steamship "President Pierce" on a voyage from U.S.A. to China. A petition by Lee Ka Wing and Lee Ka Chung, his natural and lawful sons, school teachers, both of Sun Chong Village, Sum Cheng in the District of Toishan in the Province of Kwangtung, temporarily residing at No. 17 Des Voeux Road West, third floor, for grant of letters of administration to the estate of the deceased has been granted.

RECORD TAKINGS AT ASCOT

London, June 15.

The Totalisator takings at Ascot to-day amounted to no less than £97,296, which is a record for the first day at this historic and fashionable race meeting.

An amended list of probable starters and jockeys for the Hunt Cup was announced to-day. Perry rides Commander Third, Sam Wragg, is on Hocus Focus, Rickaby, rides Midstream, Foster mounts, Flying Thoughts, Sharpe has been given Pigskin, Sprague rides Bold Encounter.

"Horses" which have been withdrawn are Temper, Hypothetical, Suntrack, Royal Salute, Pheasant, Mannlicher and Incheith-Reiter.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

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QUOTATIONS

New York, June 16.

	High	Low	Close	Today's Change
New York/London Cross-rate	11.68	11.78	11.80	1/16 up
New York Cotton—July	12.00	11.81	11.80	.03 up
Dec.	12.00	11.81	11.80	.03 up
New York Rubber—July	18.50	18.50	18.50	.03 up
Chicago Wheat—July	11.15	10.8	10.71	.11 up
Chicago Wheat—Sept.	11.04	10.75	10.65	.10 up
Chicago Corn—July	11.14	11.13	11.14	.11 up
Silver—Official	—	—	44 1/2	unchanged

	High	Low	Dow Jones Average	June 14	High	Low	Close	Change
1937	194.40	193.11	30	193.51	193.10	194.6	197.40	1.89 up
64.48	40.80	20	Bails	53.75	54.00	53.35	54.15	.43 up
37.54	22.00	30	Utilities	32.95	32.61	32.81	32.43	.32 up
105.01	88.92	40	Bonds	101.98	101.98	101.19	101.19	.07 off
63.44	55.58	11	Commodity Index	68.91	—	—	67.88	.97 up

Business Done:—\$30,000 shares.

Stocks	Last Sale	June 14	15	Stocks	Last Sale	June 14	15
Adams Express	15 1/2	15 1/2		Great Northern Ry.	50 1/2	51 1/2	
Allis Chalmers	58 1/2	59		Great Western Sugar	34 1/2	34 1/2	
Amer. Can	92 1/2	90 1/2		Holly Sugar Corp.			
Amer. Car & Foundry				Humble Oil	75 1/2	75	
Amer. Cyanamid	30 1/2	31 1/2		Int. Nickel	57 1/2	56 1/2	
Amer. & For. Power	6 1/2	6 1/2		Int. Tel. & Tel.	10 1/2	10 1/2	
Amer. & For. 47 pt.	47 1/2	49		Int. Dept. Stores ..	19 1/2	19 1/2	
Amer. Locomotive	42 1/2	44 1/2		Kennecott Copper ..	61 1/2	63 1/2	
Amer. Metals	45 1/2	44 1/2		Lambert Corp.	11 1/2	11 1/2	
Amer. Radiator	19 1/2	19 1/2		Loew's Inc.	75	77	
Amer. Rolling Mill	32 1/2	33 1/2		Lorillard	20 1/2	20 1/2	
Amer. Smelting	83 1/2	85		McIntyre Porcupine ..			
Amer. Steel P'dria.	52 1/2	53 1/2		McKesson & Robbins ..	44 1/2	44	
Amer. Sugar	40 1/2	40 1/2		Monsanto Chemical ..	89	89 1/2	
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	163 1/2	165		Montgomery Ward ..	50 1/2	52 1/2	
Amer. Tobacco "B"	74 1/2	76		Murray Corp.	11	10 1/2	
Amer. Waterworks	16	16		Nat. Cash Register ..	32	32 1/2	
Anaconda Copper	50 1/2	50 1/2		Nat. Dairy Products ..	21 1/2	21 1/2	
Atchafalpa, T. & S. Fe.	80	81 1/2		Nat. Distillers	29 1/2	29 1/2	
Atlantic Refining	28	27 1/2		Nat. Power & Light ..	9	8 1/2	
Atlas Corp.	15 1/2	15 1/2		New York Central	39 1/2	40 1/2	

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 rived June 12 from Canton, moor-
 ing at Tai Kok Tsui.

Anigellina (A.P.C.), Kowloon
 Docks.

Bangalore (P. and O.), British.
 left Shanghai for this Port on
 June 15, and is due here on June
 18 at about 8 a.m.

Beneruachan (W. R. Loxley and
 Co.), British. Capt. W. F. Reddie,
 3,750 tons, arrived June 15 from
 Antwerp via Singapore, general
 cargo, mooring at Naval No. 1
 buoy.

Bontekoe (J.C.J. Line), Dutch.
 Captain Noordhous, 3,044 tons,
 arrived June 10 from Singapore,
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Canton Maru (O.S.K.), Japanese.
 Captain R. Suzuki, 1,647 tons,
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 general cargo, lying at O.S.K.'s
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City of Dalhart (States and Co.),
 American. Captain C. Michel, 3,689
 tons, arrived June 16 from Manila,
 general cargo, mooring at buoy
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Cremier (J.C.J. Line), Dutch.
 Captain J. W. Kummer, 2,785 tons,
 scheduled to sail at 4 p.m. on June
 23 for Singapore, Penang and
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Dah Pu (Wallen and Co.), Nor-
 wegian. Captain Buhr, 1,146 tons,
 arrived June 15 from Canton,
 lying at Tai Kok Dock.

Delagoa Maru (N.Y.K.), Japan-
 ese. Captain M. Hamada, 4,373
 tons, arrived June 14 from Singa-
 pore, general cargo, Kowloon
 Wharf.

Empress of Asia (C.P.S.) left
 Shanghai on June 15 (Tuesday) at
 noon. She is due at Hong Kong
 on June 17 (Thursday) at 10 a.m.
 and leaves on the same day at 8
 p.m. for Manila.

Empress of Canada (C.P.S.) left
 Vancouver for Hong Kong, via
 Honolulu, Japan ports and Shang-
 hai, on June 12 (Saturday) a.m.
 She is due at Hong Kong on July
 2 (Friday) a.m. and due to leave
 for Manila on the same day p.m.

Empress of Japan (C.P.S.) left
 Shanghai on June 14 (Monday) at
 noon, is due at Kobe on June 16
 (Wednesday) at 6 a.m., leaves Kobe
 on the same day at 4 p.m., and
 leaves Yokohama on June 18
 (Friday) at 1 a.m.

Ethel Moller (A. E. Gerondal),
 British. Captain R. C. Duncan, 552
 tons, arrived June 8 from Shang-
 hai, lying at Tai Kok Dock.

Foo Shing (J.M. & Co.), British.
 Captain Walter, 1,423 tons, arrived
 June 15, from Swatow, general
 cargo. Cleared June 16 for Can-
 ton.

Fukuken Maru (O.S.K.), Japan-
 ese. Captain N. Hirose, 1,543 tons,
 arrived June 15 from Canton;
 at O.S.K.'s Wharf. Cleared June
 16 for Swatow and Amoy.

G.G. Paul Doumer (Messageries),
 French, arrived June 12 from Hal-
 phong. Cleared June 16 for Hal-
 phong via Kouang Theou Wan.

Golden Star (States and Co.),
 American. Captain H. B. Hansen,
 4,017 tons, arrived June 14 from
 Moji, general cargo, lying at
 Stonecutters.

Hal Chen (C.M.S.N. and Co.),
 Chinese. Captain H. Y. Hu, 2,060
 tons, arrived June 11 from Canton,
 lying at C.M.S.N. and Co.'s Wharf.

Hal Lee (Thoresen and Co.),
 Norwegian. Captain T. Davidson,
 2,160 tons, arrived June 14 from
 Rangoon via Hothow, general
 cargo, mooring B.17.

Helikon (Wo Fat Sing), British.
 Captain W. Anderson, 1,220 tons,
 arrived June 18 from Saigon, cargo
 -rice, mooring at buoy No. B5.

Hin Sang (J.M. & Co.), British.
 Captain H. G. Goddard, 1,885 tons,
 arrived June 9 from Sandakan
 general cargo. Clears 10 a.m. June
 18 for Sandakan.

Hong Kong Maru (O.S.K.),
 Japanese. Captain H. Sato, 1,559
 tons, arrived June 16 from Swa-
 tow, general cargo, at O.S.K.'s
 Wharf.

Hong Peng (Ho Thong & Co.),
 British. Capt. O. Thomas, 2,325 tons,
 arrived June 12 from Rangoon and
 Singapore, general cargo, mooring
 A.10.

Javanese Prince (Furness), Brit-
 ish. Captain C. S. Smith, 3,656
 tons, arrived June 16 from Shang-
 hai via Moji, lying at Tai Kok Dock.

Kayong (B. and S.), British.
 Captain E. N. Elsted, 1,572 tons,
 arrived June 16 from Shanghai via
 Swatow, general cargo, mooring at
 buoy No. B3.

Klangsu (B. and S.), British.
 Captain J. Beck, 1,555 tons, ar-
 rived June 13 from Singapore via
 Saigon, general cargo mooring B.4.

Klungchow (B. and S.), British.
 Captain J. H. Hodgkiss, 1,545 tons,
 arrived June 15 from Halphong,
 Pakhol and Hothow, general cargo,
 mooring B.14.

Kwelyang (B. and S.), British.
 Captain W. M. Christie, 1,580 tons,
 arrived June 12 from Bangkok via
 Swatow, general cargo, mooring
 A.16.

Kanchow (Hung Fong Hong),
 British. Capt. E. G. Thomas, 1,222
 tons, arrived June 12 from Saigon
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Liberator (L. Everett Inc.),
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 Capt. A. Taylor, 1,221 tons, arrived
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Lungahan (Chiu Seng Hong),
 Chinese. Captain O. J. Sanne,
 1,319 tons, arrived June 15 from
 Bangkok via Swatow, general
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 Captain T. Iibuchi, 1,507 tons,
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Menestheus (B. and S.), British.
 Captain D. Mansfield, 4,846 tons,
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President Wilson (Dollar Line),
 American, arrived June 14 from
 Manila. Cleared 6 a.m. June 16
 for San Francisco.

Prominent (J.M. & Co.), Norwe-
 gian. Capt. K. Gjertsen, 1,377 tons,
 arrived June 12 from Swatow, gen-
 eral cargo, lying at West Point
 Wharf.

Pronto (C.M.S.N. and Co.),
 Norwegian. Captain B. J. Moller,
 1,283 tons, arrived June 10 from
 Canton, lying at C.M.S.N. & Co.'s
 Wharf.

R.C. Rickmers (Jehsen and Co.),
 German. Captain Raupach, 3,193
 tons, arrived June 15 from Ham-
 burg via Manila, general cargo.
 Cleared June 16 for Shanghai.

Sandviken (J. M. and Co.), Nor-
 wegian. Captain P. Heesch, 1,775
 tons, arrived June 13 from Canton,
 lying at Tai Kok Dock.

Sarpedon (B. and S.), British,
 due 8 a.m. June 18 from Singapore.
 Selun Maru (M.B.K.), Japanese.
 Captain T. Furus, 2,950 tons, ar-
 rived June 10 from Milke, cargo-
 coal, mooring Kowloon Bay.

Sinkiang (B. and S.), British.
 Captain J. Gamble, 1,616 tons,
 arrived June 16 from Canton.
 Cleared the same day for New-
 chwang.

Sirdhana (B.I.-Apcar Line), Brit-
 ish, will leave Amoy for this Port
 on June 17, and is due here on
 June 18. Clears 10.30 June 20 for
 Singapore, Port Swettenham, Pe-
 nang, Rangoon and Calcutta.

Tak Sang (J.M. & Co.), British.
 Capt. W. A. Balch, 1,937 tons,
 arrived June 16 from Canton,
 Cleared 6 p.m. June 16 for Tain-
 tao via Swatow and Shanghai.

Tergetsea (Lloyd Trieste),
 Italian. Captain Leo Conte degli
 Alberti, 3,708 tons, arrived June 16
 from Singapore via Halphong,
 general cargo, at Kowloon Wharf.

Tehekam (Ping On and Co.),
 Chinese. Captain Kwok Fook, 898
 tons, arrived June 11 from Hothow,
 general cargo, mooring B.11.

Tin Seng (Tai Fung and Co.),
 Chinese. Captain Kwok Shau, 943
 tons, arrived June 15 from K. C.
 Wan, general cargo, at Salkong
 Wharf.

Titan (B. and S.), British. Capt.
 P. J. Pycraft, 5,737 tons, arrived
 June 15 from Singapore, general
 cargo, mooring at buoy No. A2.

Tonjer (Dodwell and Co.), Nor-
 wegian. Captain H. Rasmussen,
 1,949 tons, arrived June 15 from
 Chinwangtao, cargo-coal. Cleared
 June 16 for Canton.

Tsinar (B. and S.), British.
 Captain S. M. Barling, 2,100 tons,
 arrived June 16 from Canton,
 mooring at buoy No. B20.

Wong Shek Kung (Hing Lee and
 Co.), Chinese. Captain A. Lal-
 hovetsky, 992 tons, arrived June
 10 from Saigon, cargo-rice,
 mooring B.5.

Yendal Maru (D.K.K.), Japanese.
 Capt. K. Mizusawa, 2,069 tons,
 arrived June 12 from Yingkow via
 Port Arthur, cargo-coal, mooring
 A.14.

CLEARANCES

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16.

President Wilson for Shanghai
 Tonjer for Canton
 R.C. Rickmers for Shanghai
 Tak Sang for Swatow
 Sinkiang for Newchwang
 Nanning for Hongay
 Antilocus for Shanghai
 Menestheus for Singapore
 Fukuken Maru for Swatow
 Aletta for Amoy
 Tatsuta Maru for Shanghai
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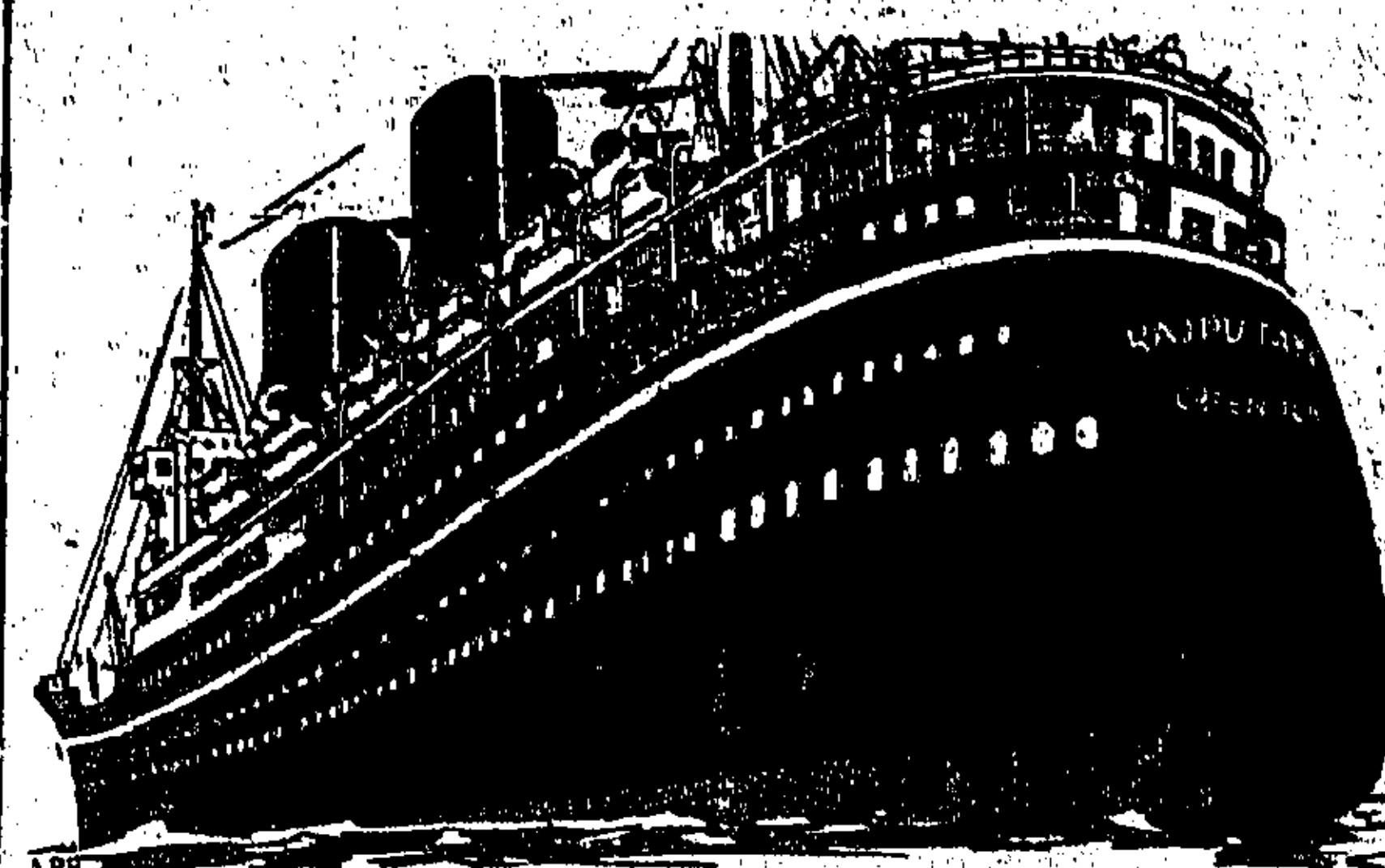
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*BHUTAN	6,000	17th July	Mar., Havre, London, H'bg.
BANCHI	17,000	24th July	R'dam, A'werp & Hull
*BEHAR	6,000	31st July	Bombay, Marseilles & London
KAISAR-I-HIND	11,500	7th Aug.	Mar., Havre, London, H'bg.
*SOUDAN	7,000	14th Aug.	R'dam, A'werp & Hull
RAJPUTANA	17,000	21st Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
RANPURA	17,000	4th Sept.	do
*BURDWAN	6,000	11th Sept.	Mar., Havre, London, H'bg.
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SANTHIA	8,000	31st July	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
KAISAR-I-HIND	11,500	7th Aug.	Shanghai & Japan
TALMA	10,000	28th July	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
RAJPUTANA	17,000	22nd July	Shanghai & Japan
TANDA	7,000	8th Aug.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
SIRDHANA	8,000	5th Aug.	Shanghai & Japan
RANPURA	17,000	5th Aug.	

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